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NAVAL RIVALRIES MAY CAUSE RACE

U.S. Threatens Reprisals
Against Japan's Move
BRITISH DECISION CAUSES
TREATIES TO TREMBLE

London, Sept. 9.

British and American naval experts and diplomats are conferring to determine the respective policies of their countries in view of Japan's decision to expand her submarine tonnage beyond the limits of the London Treaty.

The British Embassy in Washington last week handed the United States Government a copy of Japan's note to His Majesty's Government, informing Britain that London's proposal to retain over-age destroyer tonnage in service would cause Japan to increase her submarine strength by keeping over-age ships in commission. The British Ambassador asked for the American reaction.

The interchange was carried a step further on Monday, when Mr. Herschell Johnson, Secretary of the United States Embassy in London, discussed the situation with Mr. Adrian Holmes, British naval expert.

It is understood here that the United States adopted the attitude that Japan's proposals, if carried out, would be tantamount to invoking the "escalator clause" of the London Treaty and hence the United States was entitled to a similar move. This statement possibly signifies that the United States has decided to increase its submarine tonnage.—United Press.

U.S. Reactions

Washington, Sept. 9.
"The Japanese have not agreed to forego inch guns by April 1, 1937, even though the limit for armament of the two battleships to be laid down next year," declared Admiral William Standley, Acting Secretary for the Navy, when speaking at a press conference to-day.

Mr. Claude Swanson, Secretary for the Navy, attended the conference for the first time in many months. He has had a long illness.

Mr. Swanson asserted that Japan's proposal to retain 15,500 tons of over-age submarines, in response to Great Britain's announced determination to retain some 40,000 tons of destroyer tonnage, would involve the violation of the London Treaty. The United States would take no action, he went on, until it was known definitely that Japan was going to keep these under-sea ships in commission.

Mr. Swanson opposed the formation of a European Squadron of the United States Navy because, he said, it might involve the United States in European political matters.—Reuter.

Twenty Inch Guns?

Washington, Sept. 9.
Mr. Claude Swanson, Navy Department chief, announced to-day completion of the plans for two battleships which will probably carry guns of 16 inch calibre, or larger, unless the new London Treaty limitations are made effective; which depends on the actions of Britain and Japan.

Mr. Swanson mentioned 20 inch guns as feasible. But naval observers doubt if they would be so large.

The Department only awaits President F. D. Roosevelt's signal to proceed to make it start on the laying of the keels of the two proposed big ships.

Pacific War Game

Mr. Swanson further announced that the 1937 naval manoeuvres would be held in the Hawaiian and North Pacific waters in May and June.

Although officials carefully avoided designating any area, it is learned the manoeuvres will probably take place in the locality covered in the 1935 war games and that the arms of the fleet will extend as far west as Wake Island.—United Press.

HOOVER CAN'T SAIL

San Francisco, Sept. 9.
A further deadlock between the Seamen's Union and the Dollar Steamship Company has now delayed indefinitely the sailing of the liner, President Hoover, due to leave at midnight to-night with Far East mails.—United Press.

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ARMS BAN
ANNOYS
FRENCH
LABOUR
BUT BLUM RETAINS
SUPPORT
PORTUGAL
ALOOF

Paris, Sept. 8.
The French trade unions have decided to support M. Leon Blum's policy.

At the meeting of the General Labour Federation called to define the attitude of the workers to the Government's decision to place a ban on arms exports to Spain, it was decided the Federation would reaffirm its entire support of the Popular Front Government.

In a communiqué the Federation requested M. Blum to act promptly with a view to summoning the League of Nations Council, there to ask all Governments for strict observance of the Covenant.

The Federation also requested the government to reconsider, in agreement with the British and other democratic Governments, the policy of neutrality. It was pointed out that the possibility of achieving complete non-intervention had been compromised owing to the attitude of countries taking sides with factions opposed to the Popular Front Government in Spain, while the action taken by Portugal and Germany endangered the principle of neutrality itself.

The Federation appealed to the British trade unions to approach their Government in the same way.—Reuter.

BRITISH SUPPORT

London, Sept. 9.
At a joint meeting of the Labour party and the General Council of the Trades Union Congress at Plymouth to-night, it was decided to adhere to the policy of non-intervention in Spain approved by His Majesty's Government.

It is learned in reliable quarter, however, that in the recent fighting between the insurgent garrison of Majorca and the Catalonian landing force, the rebels were assisted by new aeroplanes delivered at Palma by a mystery ship, along with anti-aircraft guns, ammunition and other war equipment.

The rebel planes brought down a Government machine and forced the warships protecting the invading force to withdraw with damage.—Reuter.

London, Sept. 9.
Mr. Claude A. Swanson, U.S. Secretary of Navy, who has indicated that naval rivalry may lead to a building race between Britain, the United States and Japan.

NAVY RIVALRY FORESEEN



London, Sept. 9.
George Andrew MacMahon, who has been reappointed on various charges in connection with the Constitutional Hill incident, when a revolver was thrown towards His Majesty the King, is to stand his trial at the Old Bailey on Monday.—Reuters' Bulletin Service.

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MacMahon To
Stand Trial
Next Monday

No "Front"
Government
In Belgium

PRIME MINISTER
CONFIDENT

WARNING TO
EXTREMISTS

SERIOUS
BRITISH
LOSSES
CONSTABLES DIE
IN PALESTINE

Jerusalem, Sept. 10.

Four and possibly five British constables and one British soldier were killed and three British privates wounded in two serious encounters with Arabs in Palestine yesterday afternoon. The fate of the fifth constable, allegedly among the dead, has not been confirmed.

Three constables were killed by a volley fired by a large band of armed Arabs, who attacked a mail van near Bethlehem.

The other casualties occurred in a fight between a band of Arabs and troops, assisted by aircraft, near Acra, where ten Arab rioters and three Arab police were wounded.—Reuter.

CONSTABLE DIES

Jerusalem, Sept. 10.

One of the four British constables wounded at Acra has died.—Reuter.

Brussels, Sept. 9.

M. Paul van Zeeland, Prime Minister of Belgium, speaking in the name of the Government, rejected any suggestion for a Popular Front or any other "front" Government for the nation.

The present system, he said, had the confidence of the nation and the Government would take full legal measures against those wishing to obstruct it in its work of rehabilitation.

The Prime Minister was addressing deputies of the Chamber and the Senate, and his declaration was intended to allay rumours regarding the intentions of certain extremist elements in Belgium.—Reuter.

NO ABBEY BURIAL

London, Sept. 9.
The honour of burial in Westminster Abbey has been declined by members of Lord Moynihan's family because of the great surgeon's wish to rest in the vault at Lawrence Cemetery, Leeds, in which Lady Moynihan was buried last Thursday.—British Wireless.

BIG BOMBER
CRASHES
SIX PERISH WHEN
PLANE DIVES

Commerce, Sept. 9.
A French military bombing plane, whilst on a flight from Rheims, crashed in a field, and all six occupants, including two officers, were killed.

The cause of the disaster has not yet been determined.—Reuter.

FRANCO-SYRIAN
TREATY
ANGLO-IRAQ PACT
USED AS MODEL

Paris, Sept. 9.

The Franco-Syrian Treaty was finalised to-day in the famous Clock Room at the Quai d'Orsay.

The Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs declared: "We have derived much experience from the British mandate over Iraq, and have made the Franco-Syrian Treaty on the same lines as the Anglo-Iraq Treaty, but it avoids the mistake in the latter Treaty of not ensuring protection to Christians and other minorities."

"The Syrians are pleased, we are pleased and the world is pleased," added the Under-Secretary.—Reuters' Bulletin Service.

FILM OF BIG
FIGHT
CROWDS SEE
SCREENING

There were packed houses at all sessions at the Queen's Theatre yesterday, when the film of the big fight between Max Schmeling and Joe Louis was screened for the first time. Every round is depicted in the film, which is one of the finest boxing pictures ever screened, and should not be missed.

In addition, "Her Master's Voice" was screened, this being a delightful comedy featuring Edward Everett Horton.

There were also crowded houses at the Alhambra to see the big fight film.

TRI-CORNERED
STRUGGLE FOR
SAN SEBASTIAN

Wild Confusion As
Rebels Lay Siege

FACTIONS FIGHTING IN
STREETS OF CITY

(SPECIAL TO "TELEGRAPH")

San Sebastian, Sept. 9.

This correspondent arrived in San Sebastian to find the besieged city in the throes of the three-cornered battle, the anarchists and Basque Nationalists fighting in the streets and rebel militia and volunteers attacking the anarchists who have barricaded themselves on the edge of the port.

Thousands of civilians are fleeing on foot, on horseback or in boats to the comparative safety of Bilbao and Santander.

I am informed that 400 anarchists and extremists have been arrested.—United Press.

SURRENDER EXPECTED

Outside San Sebastian, Sept. 9.

It is indicated that the defenders of San Sebastian will surrender without resistance when the insurgent attack opens. The rebel outposts are already occupying the outskirts of the city proper.

Anarchists have manned machine-guns atop the heavily fortified heights of Trincherupe.

The great question at present is whether the anarchists will fulfil their threat and dynamite the city.

Loyalists have reported that the Civil Governor, Senor Antonio Ortega, has formed the Basque Nationalists into special police units and has arrested hundreds of anarchists in a daylong round-up. The Basques have simultaneously organised a hasty defence.—United Press.

Loyalists frustrated

Oviedo, Sept. 9.

It is learned that rebel spies in Oviedo frustrated the loyalist plan for a mass attack on the city. They gained information of the Government's plans when they penetrated the loyalist lines and informed the rebel chieftains of their discovery.

As a result, rebel artillery and a fleet of rebel planes heavily bombed the loyalist troops as they moved into supposedly secret positions.

The Government retaliated by dropping fifty bombs on Oviedo, principally on the main rebel barracks.—United Press.

The destroyers Wakatake, San Souci have left Shanghai for the South.

Japan Brings
New Protest
To Nanking

Nanking, Sept. 9.

The Japanese Consul-General has formally protested to the Foreign Office in connection with the Pakhol incident, in which a druggist named Jujuu Nakano is said to have been murdered by a Chinese mob on September 3.—Reuter.

The Japanese gunboat Soga, which arrived here from Canton yesterday left at 0.30 this morning, presumably for Pakhol.

The destroyers Wakatake, San Souci have left Shanghai for the South.

VIENNA
BOMBERS
ACTIVE

During visit of
King Edward

COMMUNISTS
BLAMED

Vienna, Sept. 10.

Two bomb outrages have occurred on Austrian railways during the visit of King Edward in this capital.

One blast wrecked a guards' van on the Vienna-Rome Express and another, hidden in a commercial traveller's bag, wrecked a cloakroom in the Vienna station.

Police allege that an illegal Austrian Communist party is responsible, rumours that the outrages might be connected with the visit of the British ruler are officially described as baseless.

King Edward, meanwhile, spent another 70 minutes to-night with the famous specialist, Dr. Neumann. It is understood that His Majesty has had a photograph taken by x-ray the car which has been troublesome in the past and that a light treatment is advocated.—Reuter.

"DORADO" DUE TO-DAY

The Imperial Airways liner *Dorado* was reported to be at Toulon this morning and is expected here about 2 p.m.

NO TENNIS
INTERPORT
THIS YEAR

SHANGHAI CANNOT
RAISE TEAM

UNEXPECTED
DECISION

(Special To "Telegraph")

Shanghai, Sept. 10.
There will be no tennis Interport between Hongkong and Shanghai this year.

This decision the Shanghai Lawn Tennis Association regrettably reached yesterday, announces an exclusive message from United Press.

In stating that Shanghai would not send a team to Hongkong this year, the L.T.A. said it because "representative sides could not be raised."—United Press.

This decision is entirely unexpected, writes "Veritas," because Shanghai tentatively accepted Hongkong's invitation to send men's and ladies' teams to the Colony for the Double Tenth. According to the Shanghai newspapers last week leading players had been circularised, enquiring whether they could make the trip, but apparently the replies have been completely in the negative.

This decision is particularly disappointing as Hongkong was looking forward to seeing Lewis Carson, "Stick" Duff, Seviers and Gordon Lum in action on our courts.

The last time Shanghai sent a team to Hongkong was in 1932, when they won the Interport by the odd match. Hongkong last won a tennis Interport against Shanghai in 1929, in 1931 Shanghai were hosts and won five-all. They won again in 1932 and after a lapse of two years, entertained a Colony side in 1935 and again won hands down, the late Khoo Hooi-hye, Lewis Carson, Gordon Lum, W. A. H. Duff and Colleco being Shanghai's representatives.

Murdered
Hostages
Identified

Your FACE VALUE

Its Effect on Health

TO-DAY I want to talk about looks. But please don't think this is a beauty article. It has to do with health. During long years of experience I have found that a slight disfigurement has caused many patients to feel a sense of inferiority which has shown itself in various nervous symptoms.

It may be only a slight blemish which others would not notice, perhaps, but, through constant worry, it assumes abnormal proportions to the person concerned. Some women spend hundreds of pounds to have a blemish removed.

The result of this worry is to make the sufferer feel that she is different from everybody else. She either becomes shy and withdrawn, or she assumes a protective cloak of aggression to cover her sensitiveness.

In either case, these nervous symptoms often react on the general health and lower the resistance of the individual to minor alliments.

These cases are just as worthy of the doctor's care and attention as any other trouble which affects health.

Sore often cause considerable disfigurement, but it is almost impossible to remove a scar without leaving another in its place. There is no certain cure for them, because they are formed from tough, fibrous tissue which has taken the place of the skin, filling in the gap between the edges of the wound.

Skin Troubles

The question then is really one for the surgeon, who may be able to replace the existing skin with another which is more easily plastic surgery is a highly skilled art which since the War has brought happiness to many.

Skin diseases are responsible for much facial disfigurement. It is not possible to treat these cases successfully unless the type of skin trouble is known. This means a medical examination.

But there is one type which is particularly common, especially in young people—Acne. In these cases the skin is usually coarse, sallow and somewhat oily. The tiny pores are easily seen and blackheads are common.

Acne shows itself in large numbers of red pimples, some with yellow heads, others of the "blind boil" type. Permanent scars result from many of these pimples, and sometimes the face is marked as though the patient had suffered from small pox.

Important Hygiene

Acne is often difficult to treat. In the young it tends to clear up usually before the age of 20. Fresh air, fresh fruit, green vegetables and attention to the bowels is an important part of treatment.

Cleanliness is essential. Don't be afraid to use plenty of hot water and a good skin soap. Carefully, and without bruising the skin, squeeze out all blackheads. Then wipe the skin with a weak solution of peroxide of hydrogen.

Where the skin is greasy, ointments should be avoided.

If this treatment fails to have any marked effect, X-ray treatment is often helpful, but it will have no lasting results if you neglect hygiene. The skin must be kept clean.

Red noses may result from a lowered state of general health, from indigestion, or from skin disease. In some cases no cause can be found.

Examination by a doctor is advisable in cases where this trouble exists. It will probably save a great deal of worry and experimenting with remedies.

Digestive troubles can be corrected by medical treatment, and if the general health below par, your doctor will be able to put you on the way toward recovery.

Where the cause can be found and this condition must, in consequence, be put down to a peculiarity of the individual, the best thing to do is to use some form of cosmetic which will hide the disfigurement.

Enlarged tonsils and adenoids frequently give the individual a vacant expression—the pinched nose and open mouth so often seen are typical of this condition. These can require treatment at an early age. Mental backwardness, lung troubles, and stunted growth may result if nothing is done.

In her next film Diana Churchill wears one of the new high hats with flower pot crown.



Make It With Flowers

Hat & Muff Set



THIS amusing hat and muff," says our artist, "was designed for Ascot, but it will also be worn in place of the halo evening head-dress so popular last season."

Filed flowers are used for the massed blooms resting on the head: daisies, poppies and cornflowers; they are repeated, too, in the muff, which has a frill of deep blue tulle to match the veil. This model has inspired tiny toque-shaped hats composed entirely of flowers, some of which give one the idea that you have robbed the garden

for your summer millinery.

Flowers predominate as a hat adornment this summer, and many are lavishly used as trimmings. Where they are not spread over the top of the hat, they are packed away closely beneath the brim.

Sometimes, a couple of large blossoms will top the crown, but only when your face is round and small must you dare to wear this style, and then only with a wide brim and hat with a sideway tilt.

BERETS ARE BACK!

FACTION is welcoming the beret again with open arms. Berets are back in all sorts of shapes and sizes. Some of them even have a poka crown!

The beret shown here is in felt with a circle of metal rings linked together with fine chain. The necklace continues the same idea.

Another novel combination is black felt and white Panama, the latter arranged in graduated rings, wide at the edge and narrowing down to almost nothing in the middle.



COOL and fashionable for a garden party in lettuce green georgette with coolie hat and Chinese parasol to match.

NEW REX RECORDS

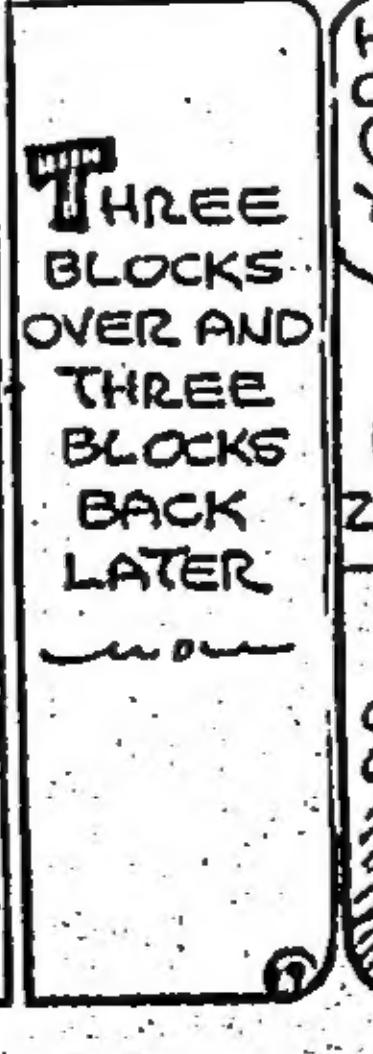
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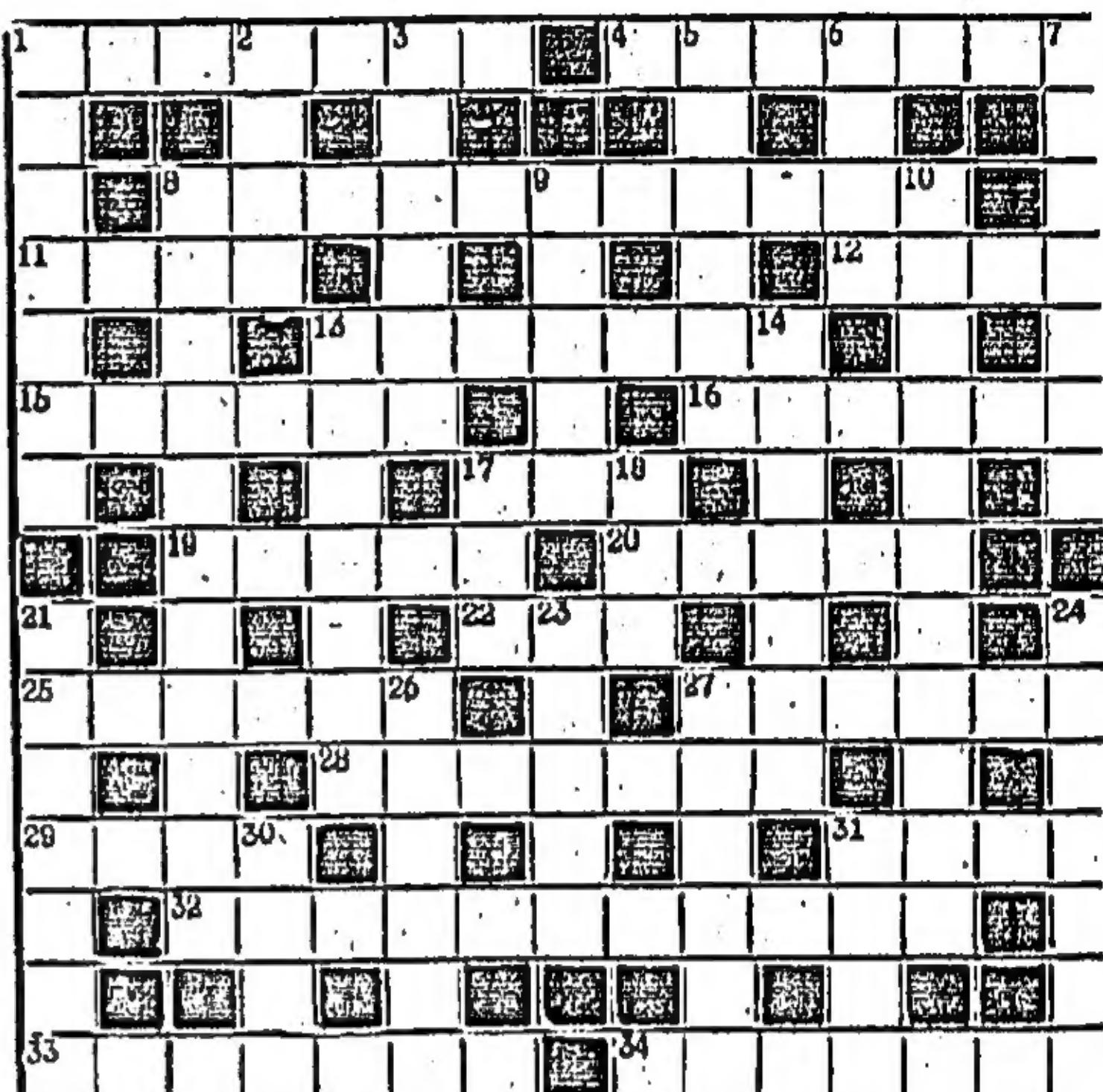
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ACROSS

- Bows not worn with evening dress.
- Meadow flower. With a letter dropped in airmen fly for it.
- The Rider Haggard Zulu who conceals Sam—O, also pug.
- This car is the fastest Irish car, breaking earlier records just in schedule time, as arranged (hidden).
- Nothing to a Frenchman.
- Stresses.
- If you have it you're piqued and may get pricked.
- Waves shilling spurs.
- Something poisonous in raspberries.
- Shade.
- Rubbish! Tripe, if you prefer it.
- Consume.
- Kicked up a fearful row and quite upset the editor.
- Scarcely scarcely yet scarcely, all right.
- Mussolini ran in and imprisonment resulted.
- Do you—if I change my—?
- Hidden in Clue 11.
- Where there's this there's disagreement.
- Pressing.
- What the brewer does for the Isralites.

DOWN

- The only railway that has identical terminals.
- Journalistic push.
- It cannot be duplicated.
- We all do as permitted here.
- Do.
- Anagram of 22.
- This receptacle is just the opposite of an apex.
- It takes a considerable number to make a noise like thunder, and fall to pieces.
- Calculated to astonish one at Hampton Court.
- All sorts of fruit.
- Brown is able to be one of Shakespeare's kings.
- The awkward position into which one may be led by a fight.
- Bed this to sleep under.
- Hidden in Clue 11.
- Yesterday's Solution.

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MARY ASTOR: 'HYPNOTIC TORTURE'

COLOSSUS



The foundations are being constructed in Rome of a Mosso statue that will reach 200 feet into the sky. One foot has been finished and is seen in the picture.

HOLLYWOOD BAN ON ROYALTY

RELATIVES of European Royalty will shortly be barred from visiting Hollywood because of excessive hospitality.

The last visitor was Princess Katherine, youngest sister of King George of Greece. She is now staying in a London hotel, but to avoid being recognised she has changed her mode of dress.

The Princess arrived in Hollywood as Miss K. Constantine, but the news leaked out, a friend said. "She was immediately labelled."

"Some well-known friends were out to exploit her. She was photographed with stars, and rumours spread that she wanted to be a film star. She was overwhelmed with screen offers."

"It soon became apparent that even the most modest member of a Royal house could not maintain reasonable dignity among the rumour-hounds of Hollywood.

"So she came away."

Stratosphere Air Liners

New York, Aug. 25.

STRATOSPHERE flying for passenger aeroplanes is the latest development of aviation. Trans-continental and Western Airways announce plans for a new fleet of super-liners, which they hope will fly at altitudes up to 30,000 ft.

An official said to-day: "We are going to take up the scientific study of high altitude flying where Willy Post (the famous one-eyed aviator who flew alone around the world) left off. Modern airliners can ascend to higher altitudes than those at which they are generally used, but very little is known of the reactions of the crew and passengers."

"We have withdrawn an aeroplane from our passenger service, and it is now being equipped with various instruments for making tests at high altitudes. The future development of our planes will rest largely on these tests."

"If the experiments are successful the company will probably introduce a high-altitude freight service before passengers are invited to speed through the stratosphere."

Kill Kidney Trouble Quick

Thousands of sufferers from kidney trouble and hypertension have stopped getting Up Nights, Let Pain Go, Circle Under Eyes, Swollen Ankles, Numbness, Headaches, Rheumatism, Diabetes, Lung Disease, Bright Eyes, Dandruff, Acidity and Loss of Vigour by a Doctor's new discovery called Cystex. Clean, clear, strong kidneys. In 15 minutes Cystex starts purifying your blood. Brings back your lost energy. No side effects. Guaranteed to end your trouble in a day or money back. Get Cystex at all chemists.

Let's eat! Where? —KING'S RESTAURANT —of course!

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John Barrymore Named By Husband

POWERFUL forces behind the scenes failed to bring about peace in the drama which began in earnest this afternoon in which Mary Astor, film star, and her husband, Dr. Franklyn Thorpe, are fighting for the custody of their four-year-old daughter Marilyn.

Fans and professionals rubbed shoulders in an attempt to enter the courtroom, but although Judge Knight had moved three times to larger courtrooms, "House full" notices were put up.

Amid sympathetic sighs, the beautiful Miss Astor, neat but tired, entered the courtroom and took her place in the witness stand.

In a broken voice she opened the attack on her husband by saying: "He said that unless I allowed him to get a divorce and the custody of our child, and do as he pleased, he would blacken my name and the names of my prominent friends."

"He said he would plaster the front pages of the newspaper and ruin my career as an actress."

"I told him that if he ruined my career I would not be able to support our child, and that he could not, or would not, do it. We went on for days and nights."

REPEATED THREATS

"He repeated the threats constantly until—well, until the divorce."

During a short recess Miss Astor was told that a subpoena had been issued against the screen lover, John Barrymore, to give evidence in the case.

"It would be just as consistent for them to get a subpoena for President Roosevelt or Governor Landon," she said contemptuously.

"John Barrymore has nothing to do with the case."

The battle continued. "He struck me once," sobbed Miss Astor. "I did not know but what he

meant do it again. He had got me into a hysterical state."

"He used to form hypnotic control over me at a time when I was ill, and in a state of semi-hysteria, too ill to talk."

Attorney Anderson was on his feet again with an objection. The reference to hypnotic control was struck out.

"Miss Astor said she moved away from her home about April 1 last year, taking her baby with her.

"I couldn't stand his tormenting me with these continuous threats," she said.

"Were these threats the reason you gave Dr. Thorpe the guardianship of the child?" asked the lawyer.

"Yes," said Miss Astor determinedly.

She was shown a copy of the trust agreement, which stipulated that she should not take the child from the State without his permission.

BEDSIDE SCENE

"Why did you sign it?" Miss Astor was asked.

"Because I was told by Dr. Thorpe," she answered.

She then recounted an alleged conversation with Dr. Thorpe, his attorney, and Miss Ethel Pepin.

"It occurred in the library, where I had made up bed while I was ill at the end of March 1935," said Miss Astor.

"Dr. Thorpe said: 'This thing is going to be the way I want it. I am going to get a divorce and the custody of the child, and arrange a distribution of property.'

"I said I would do as he pleased.

"There was nothing else I could do."

"I was ill and heartbroken over the way things were turning out. I was sicked and left."

Miss Astor sat down and Attorney Joseph Anderson rose and began to hurl questions at Miss Astor.

"Isn't it a fact," he asked, "that you had already selected a place to live before you discussed the divorce?"

"It's not a fact," said Miss Astor.

The judge banged his gavel and ordered the court to be adjourned for luncheon.

Anderson shouted across the room, "I'm not going to take the time to answer all these incriminating and phoney statements by counsel; I am going to prove conclusively before I am through."

"Be careful what you say," interrupted Miss Astor's counsel, "You're responsible for scandalising statements that are not proved."

COURT SITS IN CAMERA

CUSTODY OF AN INFANT PRINCE

The application listed as "Monaco v. Monaco (junction)" concerning the custody of Prince Pierre, 12-year-old son of Prince Pierre of Monaco, was before Mr. Justice Bucknill, sitting at the Vatican, Judge in the High Court recently.

When the case was called on, counsel on both sides asked that the matter should be taken in camera as it concerned the custody of an infant.

Mr. Justice Bucknill agreed to this request, and the Court was at once cleared.

Applying for the motion to be taken in private, Mr. R. E. L. Vaughan Williams, K.C., said that he appeared for the plaintiff, and the matter concerned the custody of an infant, the grandson of the plaintiff and the son of the defendant.

Mr. H. Wynn Parry, K.C. (for the defendant)—I support the application. It is the usual practice, and I think it is common to the interests of the infant and all the parties that the question of the custody of this child should not be discussed in public.

Mr. Justice Bucknill—if both sides wish that it shall be heard in camera, I will so hear it.

Mr. Vaughan Williams—We shall all be very much obliged.

ADJOURNMENT PLEA

Mr. Vaughan Williams then mentioned the question of an adjournment, stating that he received an affidavit into the previous night which he desired to answer.

"There are other circumstances which ought to be before the Court," he added, "and I ask for an adjournment until next Wednesday."

Mr. Wynn Parry said that he opposed an adjournment. "An injunction," he continued, "was obtained from Mr. Justice Five last week, and for reasons which I should like to tell your Lordship when the Court is cleared I desire that the matter should be dealt with to-day. I do not wish to say any more before the Court is in camera."

Mr. Justice Bucknill—Having regard to the fact that both sides wish this case to be heard in camera, I order that the Court be cleared.

The Court was crowded, both in the well and in the public gallery, and the only people allowed to remain were the interested parties and officials.

For the plaintiff, Mr. R. E. L. Vaughan Williams, K.C., Mr. H. O. Danckwerts, Mr. Acland-Hood (Messrs. Parker, Garrett and Co.); for the defendant, Mr. H. Wynn Parry, K.C., Mr. Raymond Jennings (Messrs. Lewis and Lewis).

No Fight For Colonies

A GERMAN VIEW

"The idea that Germany may go to war in order to get her colonies back is preposterous," declared Dr. Karl von Abshagen, a German journalist resident in London, when he addressed the Liberal Summer School at Oxford recently.

He declared that the procedure adopted by the Allies in 1919 with regard to colonies was bound to make Germans suspicious, when they heard so much of the trusteeship for coloured races.

Germany did not raise any new or unlimited claims in the colonial field, but what she did claim were her rightful possessions which she had held in the past. The economic side of the present situation, though it was not been overstressed,

What came first in the minds of the German people when they thought of the question at all was the matter of honour and justice.

Germany would never admit that the action which she was compelled to take in 1919 at the point of the bayonet and on the threat of starvation for her women and children in handing over her colonies gave any right of possession in favour of the Allies.

"SIMPLE SOLUTION"

A plain and simple solution, indeed the only natural solution from the point of view of honour and justice, both of the Allies and Germany, would be the restoration of the colonies in question to their lawful possessors—Germany.

If the Mandatory Powers, he added, "could see their way to such a solution without haggling and bargaining—which we are thoroughly sick in post-War years—they would do more for the re-establishment of better and really cordial relationships among the great nations of Europe than could be done by any other single act."

Germany, excluded from participation in the great task of colonialism and Germany, declared to be a second-class nation in the question of colonial development, would be bound to a centre of political and social unrest.

If they could give Germany the opportunity to take part, Europe would have one of the biggest assets she could ever have for the future.

SIR ARTHUR SALTER'S VIEW

Sir Arthur Salter, speaking at the evening meeting, said that in the present of the intellectual joys of the world lay within his reach.

RED SACRILEGE

The Communist Salute



Here is a typical example of the Spanish Reds' idea of "humour." Following scenes of disorder between Tarragona and Barcelona a church effigy was made to appear as giving the Communist salute.

Young America Learns 'English'

SEEKING PERFECT ACCENT

Thousands of Teachers Go to be Taught

YOUNG America is going to London to learn how to speak English at the fountain-head.

Some 40 American women have arrived for the second holiday overseas courses at the Speech Institute, Gordon Square, W.C.1.

They are the vanguard of thousands of American teachers, from elementary schools to universities, who became "English Speech consuls" during the visit last winter to America of Miss Marjorie Gullan, founder and director of the Institute.

Miss Gullan, with the support of the education authorities, travelled across the States from Atlantic to Pacific, living with the students, and teaching classes of 500 and over.

GRANDMOTHER-STUDENTS

In her classes were many women who had enrolled on college and university students after raising a family. One woman took her diploma on the day she became a grandmother.

What Americans chiefly want, Miss Gullan stated, is to get rid of the nasal quality in their speech. But they do not wish to learn Oxford English, which they consider effeminate.

Londoners, says Miss Gullan, have a correspondingly serious speech fault—the Cockney vowel.

"Most people do not realise," she said, "that to speak English requires as much study as to write it."

In 1927, with Miss Gertrude Kirby, whose chief inspiration is "the desire to remove the handicap of bad speech in all its applications to life,"

Both Fellowship and Institute were built up entirely with private funds; neither is profit-making.

CHORIC SPEAKING

In 1922 Miss Gullan founded the first verse-speaking choir in this country at Glasgow. It was brought to London at the invitation of Miss Maude Royden and in 1925 a London choir was founded.

It is felt by various bodies that our speech has deteriorated in recent years.

The Bishop of Chichester, Dr. Bell, announced in January last that candidates for ordination in his diocese must hereafter pass a voice test.

In March funds were provided by Baron Profumo, K.C., for classes on speech for junior barristers.

that we should transfer to Germany her poor War colonies.

"I agree," he said, "that the Treaty of Versailles and the accompanying documents included a great deal of hypocritical and indefensible nonsense about why we took Germany's colonies. The plain truth is that we and the rest of the Allies took them because we had won them in war."

"Even though there were no other difficulties in the way of our doing so, I believe that by giving back those colonies we should not only buy peace, but should buy additional trouble."

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CINEMA NOTES

Despite the fact that he's Irish through and through, Brian Donlevy has the slightest inclination towards crystal balls, palmistry, numerology of any other means of fortune telling, but he's beginning to wonder a bit about astrology. Donlevy, featured in "High Tension," Fox picture now at the King's Theatre, a few months ago was just about ready to give up Hollywood as a bad job and return to New York, where he is a stage favourite. While attending a Hollywood party, one of the entertainments provided was an astrologist who, to Donlevy's surprise, predicted that within six months, the young leading man would be one of the most promising actors in Hollywood. At this time, Donlevy ridiculed the prophecy, but subsequent events have confirmed the prediction and Donlevy has risen rapidly in the Hollywood firmament. Also featured in "High Tension," an excitement spiked film of thrills, undersea and romantic excitement ashore, are Glenda Farrell, Norman Foster, Helen Wood and Robert McWade.

"Klondike Annie"

Mae West spreads her own particular brand of light in the Land of the Midnight Sun in her newest picture, "Klondike Annie" which comes showing at the Oriental Theatre on Friday and Saturday. The lady who made curves famous goes back to the period of the gay and giddy '90's for her latest production. A big cast headed by the virile Victor McLaglen supports her in the film. "Klondike Annie" begins on San Francisco's famed Barbary Coast and winds up in Alaska. In "Frisco she is held virtually a captive by a jealous lover, and when she seeks to escape, he tries to stop her by force. In the struggle, he is killed. Mae flees to a steamer awaiting her in the harbour. The vessel is commanded by Victor McLaglen, a tough old salt. He sets out under full steam for Alaska, stopping one port to pick up additional passengers. Among them is a girl missionary, bound for Nome. She and Mae become firm friends, and Mae is deeply grieved when she dies at sea. Just at this time, Federal officers board the vessel, in search of Miss West, who is wanted for the San Francisco murder. She dons the missionary's clothes, and escapes to safety. But when the vessel arrives at Nome, she is forced to carry on the pose.

"Babes in Toyland"

When Laurel and Hardy, as ap-

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Agent,

Hongkong, 5th September, 1936.

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To comply with the General Bonded Warehouse Regulations consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged dutiable goods are examined.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 11th September, 1936, at 10 a.m., by Messrs. Goddard and Douglas.

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The German Ambassador to China, Dr. Trautmann, is expected to return via Hongkong from Europe in November.

prentice toymakers, attempt to take care of the mortgage of Widow Peep, who lived in "The Shoe" in the Hal Roach-M-G-M extravaganza, "Babes in Toyland," currently playing at the Star Theatre, their efforts result in a group of madly hilarious events that makes the film an outstanding though success as well as a beautiful musical presentation. The Hon. Secretaries, H.K.S.P.C., c/o G.P.O. Box No. 618, Hongkong, or the Inspector, 49 Pokfulam Road, 1st floor; or the Inspector, Violet Peep Health Centre, Johnston Road, Wan Chai; or the Inspector, 12, Sai Yeung Choi Street, 1st floor, Kowloon.

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RADIO BROADCAST

(Continued from Page 7.)

Evening Comes, Lonely Street, 5
Instrumental—Nola; Polly, Kitten
on the Keys; Russian Rag.

10.30 p.m. Big Ben from London.
A Recital by Grace Moore
(Soprano).

(a) They call me Mimi—"La Boheme" (Puccini), (b) Farewell Act 3—"La Boheme" (Puccini), (c) Musetta's Waltz Song—"La Boheme" (Puccini), (d) Funkeul! Funkeul! (Denza).

10.15 p.m. Aldershot Command Searchlight Tattoo, 1936 played by the Massed Bands of the Aldershot and Eastern Command.

10.32 p.m. Maurice Winnick and his Orchestra.

11 p.m. Close Down.

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Transmission 1

(G.S.I., G.S.I.) 2.15 p.m. Big Ben, A Symphony Concert.

3 p.m. The Empire Exhibition at Johannesburg.

3.30 p.m. The B.I.C. Dance Orchestra.

3.30 p.m. The News and Announcements, Greenwich Time Signal at 4 p.m.

Transmission 2

(G.S.G., G.S.H.) 7 p.m. Big Ben, Star Variety.

7.15 p.m. The B.I.C. Welsh Orchestra.

8.30 p.m. Stepping It Out.

9 p.m. The News and Announcements.

9.30 p.m. The Recital by Cecil Beaumé (Pianoforte).

Transmission 3

(G.S.G., G.S.F., G.S.H.) 10.45 p.m. Big Ben, The Royal Artillery Band.

10.45 p.m. The Empire Exhibition at

11.15 p.m. "The Arachan Polka."

11.45 p.m. The Program of Ballet Music.

11.45 p.m. The News and Announcements.

12.15 a.m. The Big Ben.

12.15 a.m. A Song Recital.

12.30 a.m. Envol.

12.30 a.m. Time Signal at 12 a.m.



George Arliss as the Duke of Wellington in "The Iron Duke," Gaumont-British picture coming on Sunday to the Kung's Theatre.

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FROM POPE

Mr. Henry Dixon, I.S.O., J.P., re-tired Superintendent of the Government Money Order Office, and a leading member of the Catholic and Portuguese community, was yesterday invested with the title of Knight of St. Sylvester conferred on him by His Holiness Pope Pius XI.

The ceremony took place at the Catholic Union Club, Kowloon, of which Mr. Dixon is President, and the occasion was attended by Bishop Valtorta, Vicar Apostolic of Hongkong, with the dignity of Knight of St. Sylvester conferred on him by His Holiness Pope Pius XI.

The ceremony took place at the Catholic Union Club, Kowloon, of which Mr. Dixon is President, and the occasion was attended by Bishop Valtorta, Vicar Apostolic of Hongkong, with the dignity of Knight of St. Sylvester conferred on him by His Holiness Pope Pius XI.

Bishop Valtorta replied that he was always interested in hearing of the activities of the Club more particularly as it was a Catholic institution. He continued: It is undoubtedly a very great pleasure to us all to attend this ceremony to-day as we will take a deep interest

in Mr. Dixon's life and doings. His name is a household word in the Catholic community as the father of our poor. Since his youth, some 60 years ago, his life has continuously been a life of good works and an example to us all. Yet the Catholic Union Club of which he is the President, the St. Vincent de Paul Society of which he may be called the soul, and the St. Raphael Society which he founded, can tell us all a little of the extent of his charity because he dispenses his goodness unostentatiously and his right hand does not know what his left hand is doing in these matters. Mr. Dixon's exemplary and devout Christian life is a model for all good Catholics.

Communism Threat
The intention of the Holy Father in bestowing this honour is to encourage others to follow his example for in society such as ours we are daily in need of more

Dixon. The Holy Father told me that now, when our Church and Society are facing grave danger, unbelief and Communism, it is our duty to call on all Catholics to come forward and do their bit in our defence. This they can do by living their private lives in close union with God and with the Holy Eucharist, and by helping in such good and charitable works as are fostered by Catholic Action. These words of the Holy Father, coming to us at a time when we read day by day in our newspapers, appalling news of the horrors and revolution due to Communism and anarchy, gaining the upper hand, must sound like a warning to us all.

There were in every town such a pattern to follow as Mr. Dixon has supplied, there would scarcely be any room for Communism or unbelief.

The wording of the dignity, which was signed by His Holiness, was translated and read after which the Bishop pinned the order on Mr. Dixon's breast and warmly congratulated him.

Mr. Dixon said the honour was as much to the Club and its members as it was to him. He called for cheers for the Pope. These cheers were followed by similar tributes to the Bishop and Mr. Dixon after which Mr. Dixon and Mr. J. B. Bapst, on behalf of the older members, voiced brief congratulations to the recipient.

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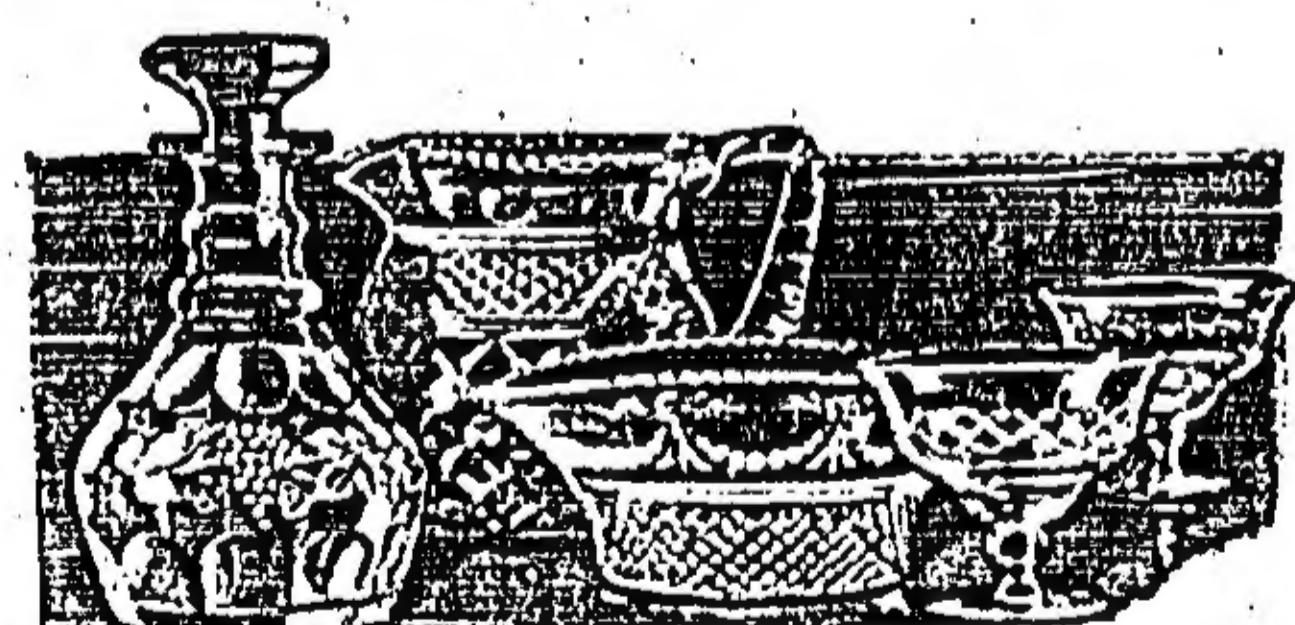
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TUESDAY, SEPT. 10, 1936.

SPECIAL TRAINING FOR BUSINESS

The growing popularity of the course of business training begun some years ago at the London School of Economics is indicative of changed ideas which now prevail in regard to fitting young men for a commercial life. It is shown in the School's latest report that there has been a stream of university graduates from the principal centres of learning passing into business through the one-year post-graduate course. The new attitude of business leaders is in striking contrast to the view so long held that the best and only efficient training ground for young men is in business itself. Those who adhered to this viewpoint envisaged the boy fresh from school beginning at the lowest rung of the ladder and working his way up to the top. The university-trained young man was looked at askance, as one whose head was so full of theories as to leave little room for the ordinary hard facts of life. There can, of course, be no disputing the fact that there is great value in first-hand knowledge of business—that, in this sphere as in others, an ounce of practice is worth a ton of theory. But something more is needed, and that "something" can be summed up by saying that the better the general education of a young man is, the more readily will he adapt himself to a business life, always assuming that he has a due share of character and intelligence. In other words, there must be specialised education as well as actual experience if the best results are to be obtained. It is true that many instances can be quoted of men who have risen to high posts without the advantage of such education, but these have succeeded in spite of their educational shortcomings, and not because of them. This type of individual would, in any event, forgo his way to the top, through sheer determination and an inherent capacity to adapt himself to changing conditions. He is not, however, typical of the majority. With every passing year, business is becoming more complex, and the successful pursuit of it demands larger knowledge and wider outlooks. World competition is keener every day, and the Briton, whether he stays at home or goes overseas, is being constantly made aware of this fact. Nowhere is this competition more evident than in the Far East, where business no longer falls into the lap of the man who sits

is a dangerous amusement. later, they usually manage to bite the hand that writes them.

The only kind that is safe is the kind that is not worth keeping, for all the best diaries are thoroughly indiscreet.

However amusing they are to yourself at the time, and to other people, for other reasons,

NOTES OF THE DAY

Broadcasting has proved a strong stimulus to education in England. Thousands of schoolchildren and students can now listen to talks given by experts on a great variety of subjects, and local education authorities, realising their value, are contributing financial assistance to many of the listening schools. About 5,500 British schools are recorded as regular listeners, and the number rapidly increases. Over 900 were registered between January and May this year. As a result of this increase, the British Broadcasting Corporation has decided to give more time to school broadcasts and to develop the programmes considerably. The new scheme is based on the replies received from schools to a list of questions circulated to teachers throughout Great Britain. School broadcasting was formerly concerned with the requirements of children from eleven to fourteen; now provision is made for all children from five to eighteen years of age. There is one course for infants, there are seven for juniors, eleven for secondary schools. During the coming year there will thus be twenty-five courses, including some in Welsh, covering a wide range of subjects such as would normally be outside the scope of the average teacher. The Central Council for School Broadcasting has done much to develop the closest possible contact between the teacher and the broadcaster. The result of recent efforts is that school broadcasting has achieved a measure of success undreamed of by those who initiated the experiment some twelve years ago.

In his office, but has to be sought after and won in the face of much rivalry. There are, admittedly, types of university men who are unsuited for modern business life—which is another way of saying that a university education will not of itself provide the necessary equipment. But the man who, by special training, coupled with a practical knowledge of his work, is educated in the broadest sense of the term, will accomplish more than he who has merely fallen into a business career and has taken little pains to increase his knowledge or become closely acquainted with modern commercial trends.

THE greatest scandal of the kind that was ever created was that which exploded in London with the publication of Harriette Wilson's memoirs.

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Some diaries have made great scandals in their day and have provided much excellent reading for other generations.

Perhaps even Miss Astor's diary, if carefully preserved, will provide some future historian with invaluable material on the social manners of Hollywood in the twentieth century.

Famous Harriette

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Though its sales were immense the book cost Lady Charlotte many of her friends.

One of them, whose indiscreet letters had appeared in her diary, wrote to her scathingly:

"When I wrote the silly, impertinent letters in question, between 20 and 30 years ago, I knew that I was writing to the Duke of Argyll's daughter, and thought myself safe by all the common laws of good breeding and morality. But I find I was extremely deceived." A nineteenth-century example of sudden alarm over long-forgotten frivolities!

The best diaries in the world are those which were kept secret, written without a thought of publication.

Samuel Pepys, as indiscreet and self-revealing as even Dr.

Thorp's attorney could wish, had the good grace to write his journals in code and to die before the immortal books saw daylight.

Parson Woodforde, whose gentle, interminable, irresistible chronicle of the small doings of an eighteenth-century lifetime, with no indiscretions greater than the compassionately noting of a housemaid's mishap, created no scandal, made no ears burn.

Wags' Corner

The fat man and his wife were returning to their seats in the theatre after the interval.

"Did I tread on your toes as I went out?" he asked the man in a seat on the gangway.

"You did," the other replied grimly.

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Thorpe's attorney could wish,

had the good grace to write his journals in code and to die before the immortal books saw daylight.

Parson Woodforde, whose gentle, interminable, irresistible chronicle of the small doings of an eighteenth-century lifetime,

with no indiscretions greater than the compassionately noting of a housemaid's mishap, created no scandal, made no ears burn.

Wags' Corner

BUT great diaries require great diarists, and few of us, no matter how violent the urge to immortalise our emotional reactions on a clean page, are really that.

The ordinary diarist is an introspective, self-centred person, irresponsible about the trouble for others that these self-communings on paper are likely to create.

For these diarists there should be a stringent rule—keep the thing locked up or, better still, burn it! And for the rest of us, beware of diarists!

KEEP your DIARY Locked up!

Says
Margaret Lane



Mary Astor (left) talking to her friend, Ruth Chatterton, in court during the sensational lawsuit in Los Angeles.

ROUND ABOUT by The Showman

I AM grateful to somebody—I have forgotten his name, and I am too lazy to look it up—who hinted at a progressive world water shortage.

He admitted, by the way, that this was hard to believe in Great Britain, now that summer is here.

But he did envisage an arid world reduced to tapping the polar ice-caps for water, as Lowell suggested had been done on Mars with those disputed canals.

This is a conception to which the word "awful" may be properly applied. Thinking about it does you good, because, for once, you see the idiotic qualities of nations in their right perspective.

Shall we ever combine for happiness and self-preservation? Or—as seems probable now—will the Last Man be left shooting at his reflection in the Last Mirror with the Last Machine Gun?

EGGS OF HELL

I HAVE been urged to continue my uncompleted novel, "Eggs of Hell," up to the point where I got stuck because Captain Peter Fulloyer, of the Secret Service, faced by five giant Chinese with automatics, had mislaid his machine-gun.

You may remember that a bomb in his breakfast egg had exploded, bringing down the ceiling, and that he had a wife called Lady Elsie, of dazzling beauty? Very well. Now read on.

Her Ladyship's Entrance

SUDDENLY a machine-gun began its devilish chatter behind Fulloyer, and the Chinese, spouting curses, were stricken to the floor.

"What on earth . . . ?" he began. "Then there was a crash. And he knew no more."

When he recovered consciousness, his wife was bending over him and adjusting his smoked glasses so that her dazzling beauty would not blind him.

"Yes," she said softly, "it was I. The explosion threw your machine-gun into my hands upstairs. There was no ceiling, so I saw the Chinese; and then—" she laughed deliciously.

"I just dropped it on you."

He, too, laughed, and drew her into a long embrace while the floor, also weakened by the explosion, began very slowly and very tenderly to give way beneath them.

Fairy Story

THE news was this: Francis Lederer had a hundred of his children, thirty thousand of them. So he began pesting them off in spectacle to everyone he knew.

And what do you think he found underneath each cabbage? Why, a dear, little baby film-star: And now they are all howling their heads off because there aren't enough diamond-studded coats to go round.

Isn't that a pretty story, ducks?

Eden's Lament

A BALLAD, inspired by Sir Austen Chamberlain's rebuke to the Government for not saying clearly what it means. To be sung by Mr. Eden in a plaintive voice.

I hope, oh, I hope, oh, I hope
You WILL not confuse the poor Cabinet:

I know that I hand out soft soap
With precious few facts you can
grasp at:

But please do not, now PLEASE:

Don't ask for a definite answer,
sir:

My tight-rope ways so in a breeze,
And I'm such a droll dancer,
sir,
It isn't a matter for cynical mirth!
I'd fall—and I DON'T want to come
down to earth!

Wags' Corner

The fat man and his wife were returning to their seats in the theatre after the interval.

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HONGKONG TEXTILES RAMP EXPOSURE

"Telegraph" Articles Cause Big Clean-Up In Philippine Islands: Textile Imports Crash**MANILA CUSTOMS AUTHORITIES CLOSE "OPEN DOOR"****RE-EXPORT OF JAPANESE GOODS THROUGH COLONY CEASES FOLLOWING NEWSPAPER EXPOSE****"Telegraph" Special**

Following the "Telegraph" exposure last June of the amazing textile ramp existing between Hongkong and the Philippines, the Manila Customs authorities have staged one of the biggest clean-ups in their history.

In a series of articles, which were reprinted in Manila newspapers, the "Telegraph" disclosed how unscrupulous merchants in Hongkong were defeating the "Gentlemen's Agreement" between the United States and Japan.

This agreement limited the quantity of Japanese textiles imported into the Philippine Islands to 42,000,000 linear yards per annum.

Hongkong merchants for a time defeated the agreement by importing Japanese textiles into this Colony, and re-exporting them to the Philippine Islands as "Hongkong Made" or "South China Made" goods.

An amazing series of frauds were unearthed.

The Japanese quota of 42,000,000 linear yards was filled in the first four months of the year, and direct exports from Japan to the Philippines were thereafter reduced to a minimum.

But, until the "Telegraph" exposure, exports from Hongkong to the Philippines continued at a merry pace.

In the first six months of this year Hongkong exported a total of 35,466,303 linear yards of textiles to the Philippines, more than in the whole of any previous year.

That the greatest part of these Hongkong exports were of Japanese origin was conclusively proved by official statistics, which showed that Hongkong imports from Japan had increased in proportion to its exports to the Philippines.

It was estimated in one quarter that fully 80 per cent. of Hongkong's exports to the Philippines were of Japanese origin. Yet the greatest part of the textiles entering Manila from Hongkong entered the Philippines as goods "Made in Hongkong" or "Made in South China."

Investigations by the "Telegraph" disclosed that an amazing system of falsification was employed by several merchants in Hongkong in order to secure entry for these textiles into the Philippines without disclosing that they were of Japanese origin.

These methods included the cutting of Japanese brands and trade marks from the textiles when they were imported into Hongkong, and substituting Hongkong labels.

Another system was to open bales or boxes of Japanese goods, take out the top layers, and substitute genuine Hongkong Chinese textiles. Only a cursory examination of the top layers was made by Philippines customs officials.

A third method that attained some popularity before the "Telegraph" disclosures was to enter goods without a consular declaration, posting a 100 pesos bond that the declaration would be delivered before a specified time. Non-delivery of the declaration meant only a forfeiture of the 100 pesos bond, which represented an infinitesimal value of the goods that passed the customs before the 100 pesos became forfeited.

Following publication of the "Telegraph" articles, the customs authorities in the Philippines have taken stringent measures to prevent Japanese textiles from entering via Hongkong.

CAREFULLY CHECKED

Each consignment is carefully checked to prevent substitution of Hongkong labels for Japanese, and instead of the cursory examination of bales and boxes formerly made, a strict examination of the entire contents of packages of textiles imported from Hongkong is made.

The Philippines authorities now refuse to accept monetary bonds in lieu of consular declarations regarding the country of origin of textiles, and insist that before delivery is made the consular declaration be forthcoming.

DOWN TO HALF

Exact figures for August are not available, but official statistics show that imports from Japan during the month of July were only 5,320,478 linear yards, as compared with an average of more than 10,000,000

HUSBAND WIFE DAUGHTER—**--TOTAL 170 YEARS IN EAST****HONGKONG FAMILY HAS UNIQUE RECORD**

THIRTY-SIX continuous years in Hongkong is bad enough, but 69 years in the Far East—it just isn't done.

What's the use of retired majors and taipans sipping whiskys and sodas in a West End Club and telling about the 20 years they spent in the damnedest climate in the world when, damme, William J. Edwards naively admits to a residence that goes back to 1867?

Even when, hale and healthy at men's allotted span of three score years and ten, he decides it's time to retire, he won't do the thing decently by going home to a little cottage in the country. No, sir!

"Go home and be miserable in that climate," he says scornfully. "Not me! I'm going to retire!

But that's Hongkong for you. People get that way after a few years. Won't admit that the climate isn't fit for a man to live in, or that anyone who stays over fifteen years has one foot in the grave.

Countless letters to Editors have lashed at Hongkong's climate. Every tourist who visits us in the summer has something to say about it. And even the loyalist who defends us against all traducers becomes silent when "climate" is the subject. "Climate" is always a subject. "Hongkong Journalist can fall back upon when he's hard up for copy.

Therefore, Mr. Edwards had no right to tell me that he's lived in the Far East for 69 years; in Hongkong for 36 years. It was rubbing it in to add that his wife, daughter, and he can tot up 170 years residence in Cathay between them, and that neither of them are thinking of leaving for many years to come.

WIFE HOLDS RECORD

His wife, in fact, can claim exactly one month's longer residence in the Far East than can Mr. Edwards. "She was born in Shanghai a month before I was born," up the Yangtze River, in August, 1867, he told me with a chuckle.

Few Europeans ventured up the famous inland waters of China in those days. Therefore, it comes as no surprise to know that Mr. Edwards was the first European baby born up the Yangtze.

In fact, Mr. Edwards can lay several claims to distinctions as equally newsworthy as the fact that he was the first white baby born up the Yangtze.

He was one of the first boys to attend the St. Francis Xavier's College in Shanghai, which was opened six years after his parents took him to Shanghai in 1870.

FIRST TRAIN IN CHINA

He rode in the first train ever to run on rails on Chinese soil, that was in 1870, when the Chinese Empire, with great pomp and ceremony, inaugurated a railway service from Shanghai to Woosung.

"The railway wasn't too successful," Mr. Edwards told me, with a reminiscent smile. "The boat people plying along the river did not like this new competition on land. So they bribed the country people to lie across the steel rails. Either the train—they had two engines, the 'Celestial Empire' and the 'Far Cathay'—had to stop or run over the protesters. In any case, there was usually a thumping big claim for damages from someone."

MET PRESIDENT GRANT

One of Mr. Edwards' earliest recollections is that of meeting General—afterwards U.S. President—Grant when he visited China in 1876.

General Grant was introduced to Edwards Senior, who in turn introduced his nine year old son. One of young Edwards' proudest recollections was that General Grant graciously shook hands, called him a "find lad!"

Mr. Edwards first visited Hongkong in 1881, and came to live here in 1890.

From 1892 to 1910 he served with Jardine, Matheson's floating staff in various Indo China Navigation Company steamers, and was a pictureque figure along the China coast.

During the Great War he served in the Transport Service, and was demobilized in Hongkong six months before the ship founded with all hands off the Paracels in 1920.

Mr. Edwards joined Messrs. W. S. Bailey & Co., after the Great War, served on the well-known ship yard's staff until 1927, when the call

MALARIA FEARS ALLAYED**FEVER INCIDENCE IS ALMOST NORMAL: FEAR UNWARRANTED**

As a result of investigations, the "Telegraph" is able to allay fears, recently expressed, regarding the incidence of malaria in this Colony.

Although recent official statistics are not available, the "Telegraph" learns from a reliable source that the incidence of malaria is no greater than usual.

Latest available statistics conclusively disclose that the whole of Hongkong is a comparatively malaria-free Colony when compared with Malaya, Ceylon and other tropical centres.

Official statistics to the end of 1934 show that the numbers of admissions to Government hospitals in Hongkong increased by 80 per cent. during the past decade. In 1925 there were 1,142 admissions. In 1934 only 457. With the exception of 1932, the 1934 figure is the lowest in the history of the Colony.

Statistics for 1935 are not yet available to the Press, but the "Telegraph" is informed from a reliable source that the incidence for this year is approximately that for 1934.

During the first six months of the current year 280 cases were admitted to Government hospitals. This, on the surface, would lead one to believe that the incidence for the whole year will be higher than usual. Such, however, is not the case, as the incidence is much higher during the summer or "rainy" months, than during the winter.

No Europeans have fatally contracted malaria, and the percentage of Chinese fatalities is comparatively low.

URBAN AREAS CLEAR

Efficient drainage methods have ended malaria as far as the urban districts of Hongkong are concerned, and it persists only in certain parts of the New Territories and in some of the outer suburbs.

The ever-decreasing number of cases which reflects the excellent work that has been done by the Medical and Sanitary Departments in Hongkong to eradicate malaria.

In the early days malaria was the chief cause of sickness and death in Victoria and, in 1844, coincident with the breaking of the soil for the formation of Queen's Road, which was then the chief arterial road of the city, it became such a scourge that there were serious thoughts of abandoning the entire island.

The graveyard at Stanley, where the first settlement was made, is an indication of the terrible toll taken by malaria last century. Nearly all of the inmates of this cemetery died from malaria.

Available statistics show that—recently as 1910, the number of

of the sea took him to the engineering of several West River ships. He retired in 1934.

IN JAPANESE NAVY

A half-century at sea in the Far East has included service with both the Chinese and Japanese navies and to-day Mr. Edwards' most vivid impressions of the changes that have taken place during his life-time has been the decline of the Chinese navy, the unprecedented rise of the modern Japanese fleet.

I have watched the Chinese Navy, as fine a fleet as you could wish, when I first entered it, decline to nothing, and the Japanese Navy, which consisted of a few small vessels when I served in it, rise from nothing to a world power," he told me.

Incidentally, Admiral McClure was at one time a "skipper" in the Indo-China Steam Navigation Company's fleet. He succeeded in command of the Chinese Navy another old-time Hongkong resident, Admiral "Chinkee" Lang, whose son, Lt. Cdr. Lang, only recently retired from this Colony. The decadence of the Chinese fleet starts from the date of Admiral Lang's retirement.

HELPED FOUND K.C.C.

It is interesting to note that Mr. Edwards was, with Dr. Swann, Capt. T. W. Selby and Mr. J. P. Robinson, one of the original founders of the Kowloon Cricket Club, which started in 1902 with a few second hand bats borrowed from the Island Club." He was also one of the founders of the Kowloon Junior Golf Club.

The Far Eastern history of Mr. Edwards' family actually dates back to the end of the Fifties, when his father went to Shanghai from India. His mother arrived in 1865, the trip from London to Shanghai occupying six months.

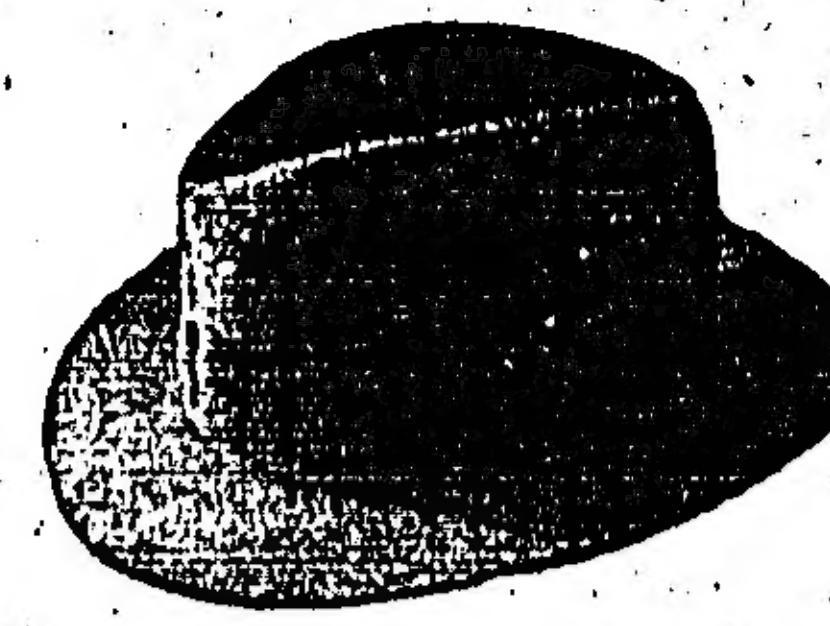
Mr. Edwards, who was also born in Shanghai, is the eldest daughter of the late Alfred Silverthorne, who spent many years in the Far East. Mrs. Edwards, like her husband, has spent many years in the Far East.

Mrs. Edwards, like her husband, has spent all but two years in Shanghai and Hongkong.

Mr. Edwards' only daughter is the wife of Mr. Claude Glover, well known in Hongkong as the skipper of the Shanghai Interport Bowls Team which has taken Interport honours to the northern city on three occasions. Mrs. Glover left Hongkong 14 years ago, and is residing in Shanghai since.

Mr. Edwards, on retirement this month, will join his daughter and son-in-law in Shanghai, and will remain in the northern city for some years before going home.

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5-7 p.m. A Relay of the Dance Orchestra from the Hongkong Hotel of Garden.

7 p.m. Half an hour with Brahms.

Song—The May Night, Maria Olzewska (Contralto); Pianoforte Solo—Capriccio in B Minor, Op. 76, Arthur Rubinstein; Orchestral—Tragik Overture, Op. 81, The B.B.C. Symphony Orchestra; Song—Feld-Insamkeit, Elena Gerhardt (Mezzo-Soprano); Violin Solo—Hungarian Dance No. 6 in B flat Major, Yehudi Menuhin.

7.30 p.m. Closing Local Stock Quotations.

7.33 p.m. A Variety Concert.

Instrumental—All my life ("Laughing Irish Eyes"), George Elliott's Hawaian Novelty; Quartet; Organ Solo—Second Serenade (Heykens); Reginald Foort, Song—The Scene Changes, Hildegarde.

Song—It ain't nobody's Biz'ness what I do, Len Bermon; Clarinet Solo—Somebody's Wrong, Eric Pettifer; Song—When April Comes Again ("The Hollywood Revues of 1936"), Cliff Connolly; Piano Solo—The Student Prince—Serenade, Tony Lowry; Song—with all my heart ("Her Master's Voice"), Elsie Carlisle.

8 p.m. Local Time Signals, Weather Report and announcements.

8.03 p.m. Chinese Studio Concert.

8.11 p.m. Close Down.

8.05-11 p.m. European Programme From Z.E.K. on a Frequency of 640 kilocycles.

8.05 p.m. Richard Crooks (Tenor) with Orchestra Mascotte.

1. Song—Kilarney (Falconer-Bally); Good bye (Tosti), 2. Orchestra—in Dreamy Night—Waltz (Ziehrer); Evening on the Rhine—Waltz (Richter), 3. Song—Love Everlasting (Friml), 4. Orchestra—

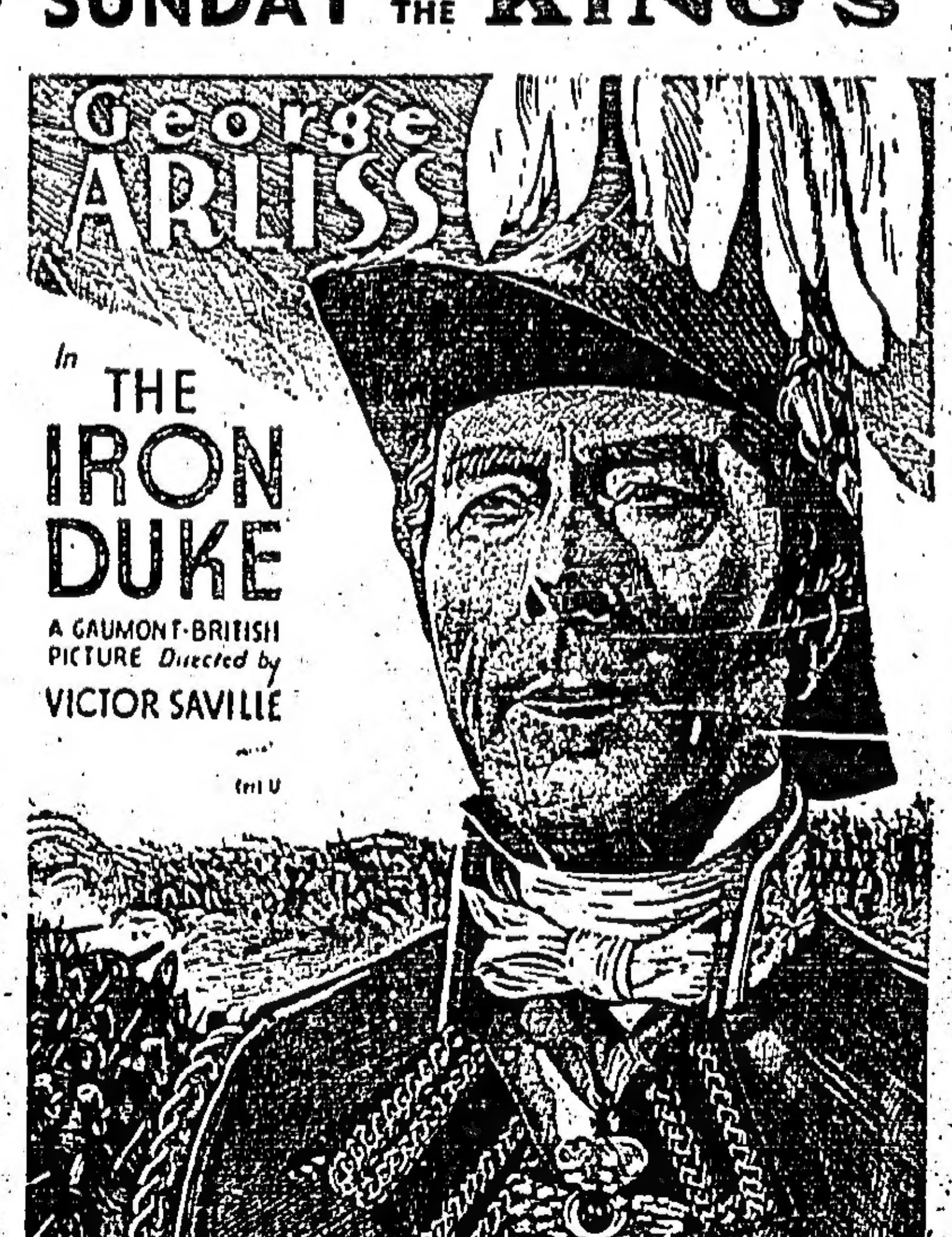
Gypsy Love—Waltz Melodies (Lefar), Moonlight on the Danube—Waltz (Gay), 5. Song—Kathleen MacCurdy (Crouch).

8.31 p.m. "Quartet in F Major" (Mozart) played by The Budapest String Quartet.

9 p.m. News and announcements from London.

9.20 p.m. "Alice Delyley Mc-

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more" 9.30 p.m. Turner Layton (Vocal), Iver Moreton and David Kaye on Two Pianos.

1. Instrumental—Fox-Trot Medley, 2. Song—I'm a fool for loving you, Au Revol, 3. Instrumental—Quickstep, Medley, 4. Songs—When

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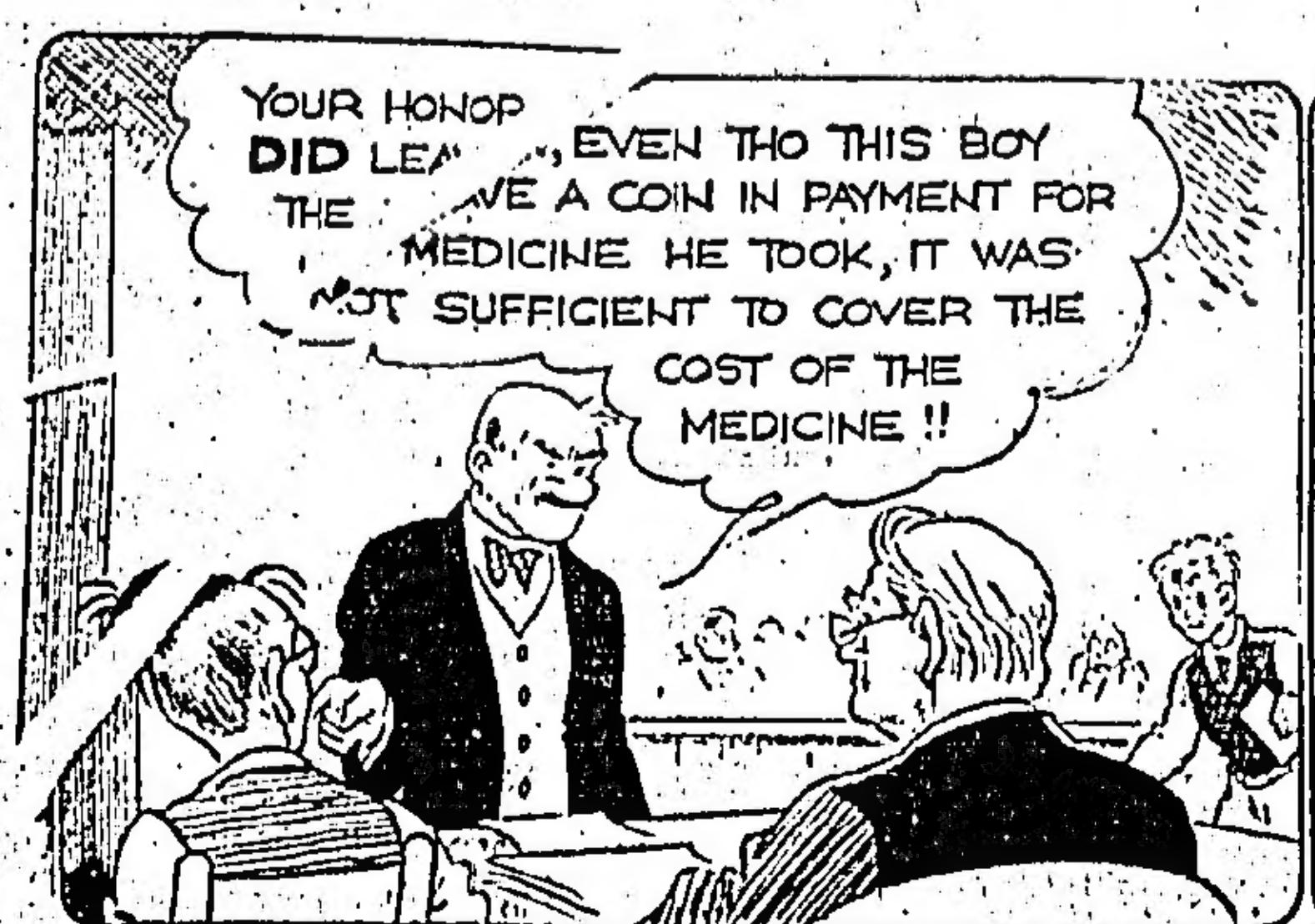
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ARMY AQUATIC MEET AREA SPORTS BOARD HEATS YESTERDAY

FINALS THIS AFTERNOON

The Hongkong Area Sports Board's twelfth annual swimming championship heats were held at the Victoria Recreation Club's pool yesterday afternoon, attended by a large gathering. The finals will be held at the same place to-day at 2 p.m.

At the conclusion of yesterday's events, prizes were distributed by Mrs. Reid for certain final events which have already been swum. These events were: Water Polo Knock-out, won by the Royal Engineers. Water Polo League, won by the 2nd Battalion East Lancashire Regiment, Half Mile Tug-of-War, Plunging Competition and the Cross Harbour Race, also won by the 2nd Battalion East Lancashire Regiment.

Results of yesterday's heats were as follows:

Small Units Relay: Heat 1, 22nd Company, R.E. Time: 3 mins. 5 secs. Heat 2, "C" Company (E.L.R.) Time: 3 mins. 10 1/2 secs. Heat 3, 8th A.A. Battery, R.A. Time: 3 mins. 21 secs.

Army Boys' Handicap Race, (Final): 1, Frank Dwyer, 30 1/5 secs. 2, Tony Whigham.

50 Yards Free-style (Indian): Heat 1, "A" Company Punjab Regiment, Time: 32 1/5 secs. Heat 2, "D" Company Punjab Regiment, Time: 32 4/5 secs. Heat 3, "C" Company Punjab Regiment, Time: 33 secs. Heat 4, 3rd, Battery, H.K.S.R.A.

150 Yards Medley: Heat 1, Rifleman Hamilton, (R.U.R.) Time: 2 mins. 4 4/5 secs. Heat 2, Cpl. Flidies (E. Lancs.), Time: 2 mins. 10 4/5 secs. Heat 3, L/Cpl. Thorpe, (E. Lancs.), Time: 2 mins. 15 secs. Heat 4, Lieut. Culvert, (R.E.), Time: 2 mins. 12 1/5 secs. Heat 5, Gnr. Halliday, (R.A.), Time: 2 mins. 17 2/5 secs.

Army Girls' Handicap: Heat 1, Miss Doris Grinham; 2, Miss Eleanor Snaith. Time: 4 4/5 secs. Heat 2, 1, Miss A. Archer; 2, G. Grinham. Time: 47 2/5 secs.

220 Yards Free-style: Heat 1, Pte. Taylor (E.L.) 2 mins. 48 4/5 secs. Heat 2, Lieut. Culvert (E.L.E.) Time: 2 mins. 50 2/5 secs. Heat 3, Rifleman Hamilton, (R.U.R.) Time: 2 mins. 51 1/5 secs. Heat 4, L/Cpl. Pearce, (R.E.), Time: 2 mins. 33 secs.

High Diving: Royal Engineers 207 points; 2nd Battalion East Lancashire Regiment 200 points; Royal Ulster Rifles 153 points.

Individual Divers: L/Cpl. Pearce, L/Cpl. Gregson, Pte. Owens, L/Cpl. Dunn and Rifleman Hamilton.

100 Yards Free-style (Indians): Heat 1, "D" Company Punjab Regiment; 2, 4th, Battery H.K.S.R.A. Heat 2, 1, Headquarters Punjab Regiments; 2, "C" Company Punjab Regiment.

Inter-Bde. & Bn. Relay Race: Heat 1, 1, 2nd Battalion (E. Lancs.), 2, 1st Battalion, (R.U.R.) Time: 3 mins. 11 3/5 secs. Heat 2, 1, Royal Engineers, 2, Royal Welch Fusiliers. Time: 3 mins. 9 secs.

Enlisted Boys' Race: Heat 1, Boy Derbyshire (E.L.), 2, Boy Edwards (R.W.F.) Time: 35 secs. Heat 2, 1, Tpr. Scary 2, Boy Gorgan (E. Lancs.) Time: 32 3/5 secs.

50 Yards Free-style: Heat 1, Pte. Ashton (E. Lancs.) Time: 29 4/5 secs. Heat 2, Lieut. Culvert (R.E.) Time: 32 secs. Heat 3, Cpl. McCarthy (R.E.) Time: 29 4/5 secs. Heat 4, Lieut. Lewis (R.W.F.) Time: 35 secs. Heat 5, Rifleman Hamilton (R.U.R.) Time: 27 2/5 secs.

EUROPEAN Y.M.C.A. GALA

VERY POOR ATTENDANCE AT SWIMMING LAST EVENING

There was a very poor attendance at the European Y.M.C.A. swimming gala last evening and the various events were also poorly supported.

Most of the events were championships, but the times returned were not outstanding. H. G. Lange retained his 50 yards free-style title with a time of 27 2/5 secs.

Dancing in the West Lounge followed the gala.

The full results were as follows:

50 Yards Junior free-style championship.—1, A. Keown; 2, J. Lephard; 3, E. Fowler. Time: 29 secs.

50 Yards Men's free-style championship.—1, H. G. Lange; 2, R. Goldman; 3, F. J. Anslow. Time: 27 2/5 secs.

25 Yards Boys' (handicap).—1, G. H. Saunders; 2, C. Fuxman. Time: 10 4/5 secs.

Men's Diving.—1, R. Goldman (38 pts.); 2, E. Fowler (37 pts.); 3, G. E. Saunders (35 pts.).

75 Yards Men's Medley race.—1, H.

WORLD'S HEAVYWEIGHT CHAMPIONSHIP IN LONDON DURING CORONATION WEEK.

(By Connery Chappell)

Negotiations are proceeding for the world's heavy-weight championship to be fought in London during Coronation Week.

Mr. Clifford Whitley, theatrical and cabaret impresario, told me that, after talking twice to New York on the phone, his plans were nearing completion.

Associated with him is Mr. Bob Ritchie, the American film and theatre man responsible for a number of big Hollywood deals.

"We are getting options on both Schmeling and Braddock to fight," Mr. Whitley said.

The actual fighters will depend, of course, on the result of the meeting between Braddock and Schmeling in America this autumn.

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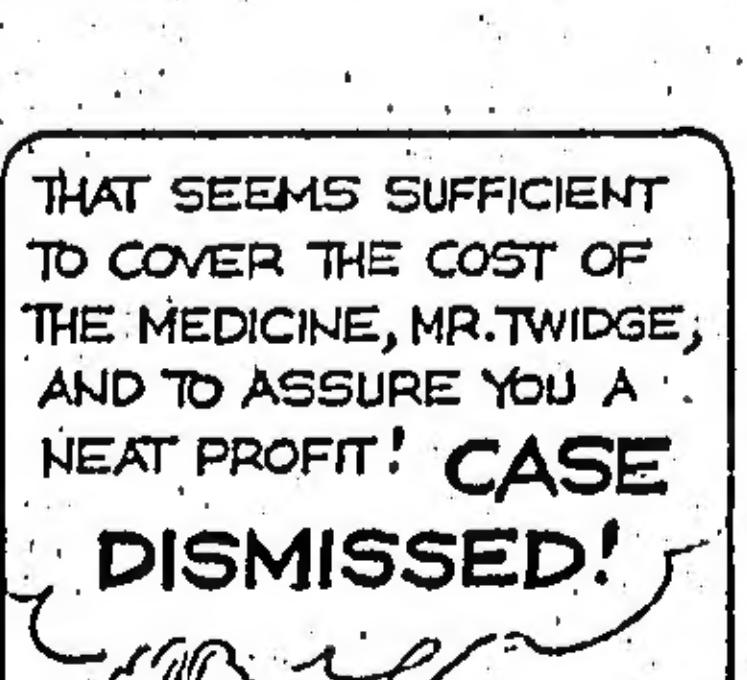
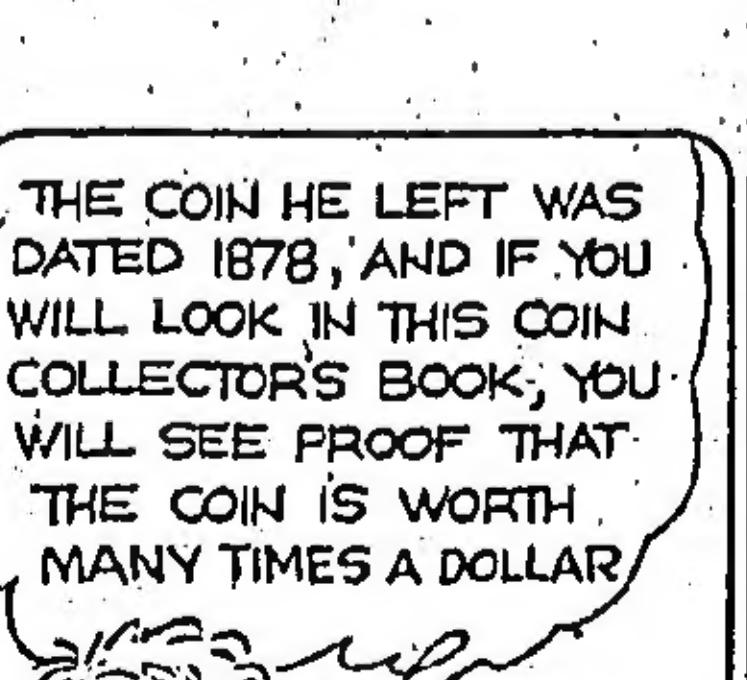
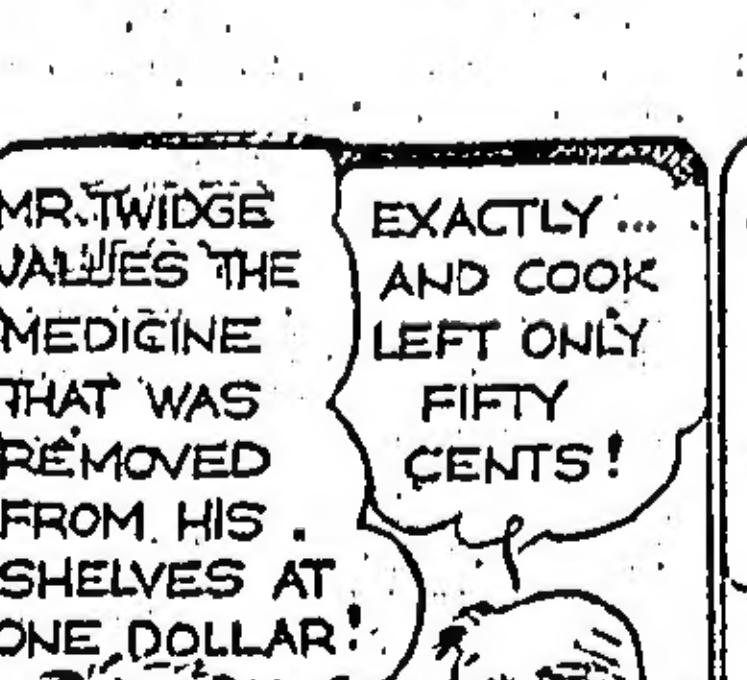
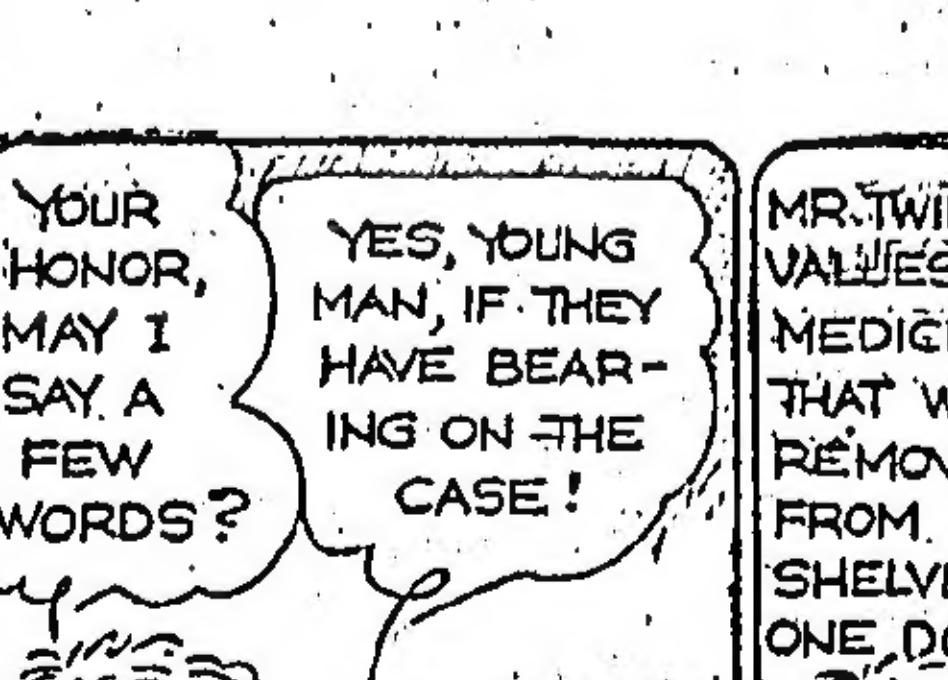
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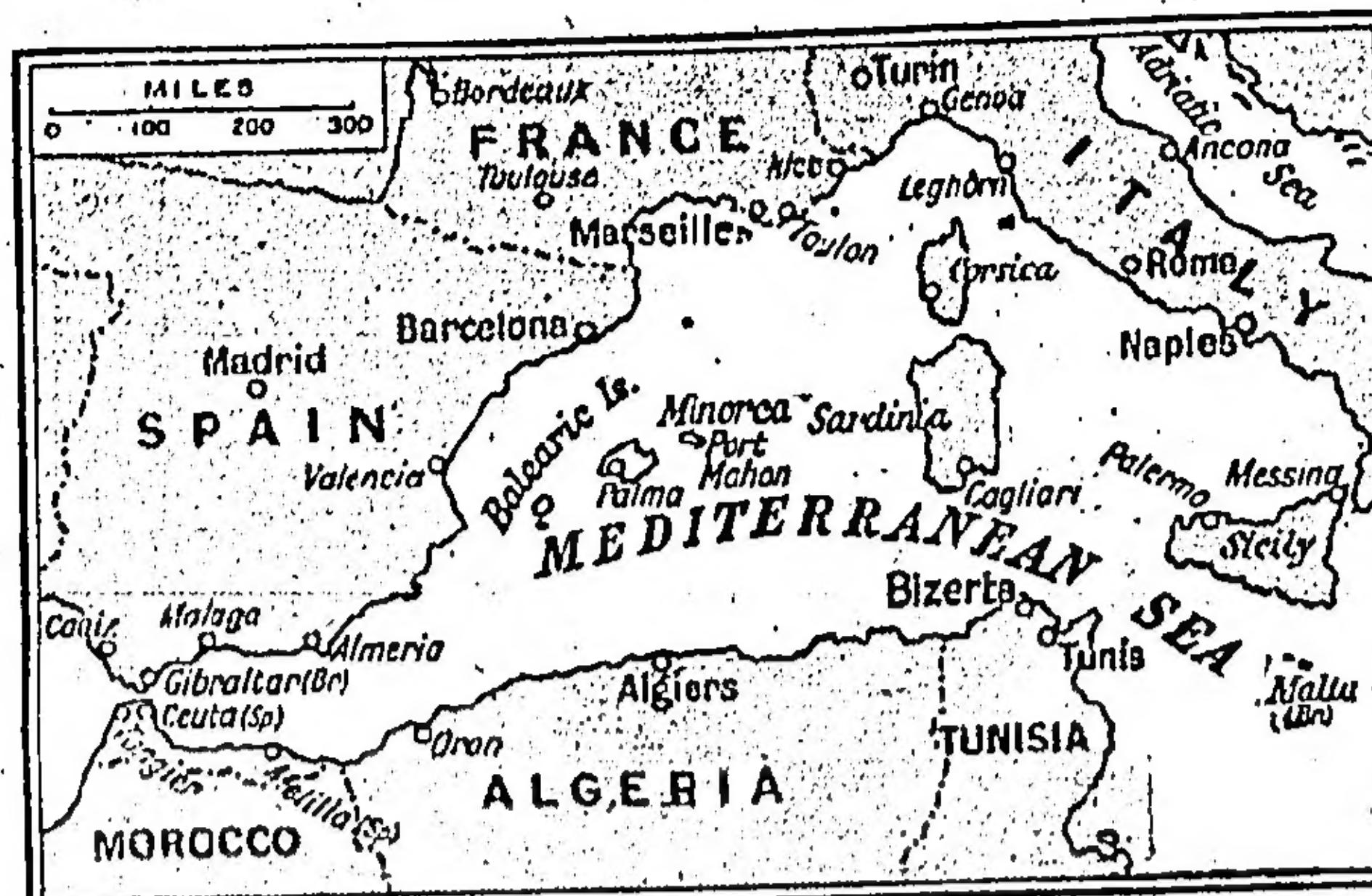
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What SPAIN'S WAR means to BRITAIN

by LORD STRABOLGI

(Formerly on the Admiralty War Staff in London and Assistant Chief of Staff at Gibraltar).



EVERY decent man in this country must wish not only that the legally constituted Government in Spain will triumph, but that the rebellion and its aftermath will not lead to international complications and the breaking of the peace elsewhere.

A section of those who normally support Toryism in this country is showing open sympathy for the rebel Generals and their dupes.

Do our self-styled patriots understand what they are risking by their moral support of the Spanish rebels?

If their hopes are fulfilled, and a Fascist Government wins control in Spain, the strategical position of the British Empire will be weakened to an almost incalculable extent.

The British Empire contains most of the desirable territories in the world suitable for capitalist exploitation, and Fascism will desire to devour these rich prizes.

This map will help the reader to understand the position in the Mediterranean. With a hostile Spain, the Union Jack could no longer dominate Gibraltar.

leader by Nazi Germany. The commander of the most powerful unit in the rapidly expanding German fleet actually called on General Franco at Ceuta.

These are days of Power Politics, whether we like it or not.

Let us consider the power that would lie behind the next German demand for satisfaction, either at our expense or at the expense of the League and the Peace of Europe, with Spain practically an Italo-German Protectorate.

With a hostile Spain, Gibraltar is untenable as a naval base. With the increase in the range of modern artillery, the harbour in Gibraltar Bay, on the west side of the Rock, can be dominated by cannon mounted on the ring of hills in the Spanish hinterland.

This danger was recognised some years ago. There was a proposal to make an additional harbour on the east side of the Rock. It was not proceeded with for number of reasons, one of these being the realisation that, with the ever-increasing range of modern guns, such a harbour, in its turn, could be dominated by guns mounted on the Spanish coast to the north and

north-east of Gibraltar. The fortress itself could stand a siege; but its harbour would be useless for refuelling or repairing our warships.

The Fascist Confederation would control the fortress and harbour of Ceuta, on the south side of the Straits of Gibraltar and its hinterland. Ceuta is a natural fortress second only to "the Rock." We could not make an attack on Ceuta without organising a great expedition.

The Fascists would, in effect, control both sides of the Straits of Gibraltar, the western exit of the Mediterranean.

We already know that Malta is vulnerable to air attack because of its situation at short flying distance from the Italian aerodromes. The British Fleet, therefore, in time of war, would be without foothold in the Western Mediterranean except by the good grace of France.

Furthermore, if, as has been

freely reported, the Italians have been promised the use of the Balearic Islands by the Spanish rebels, they would have, as an additional base, the Island of Minorca, including the first-class natural harbour of Port Mahon.

This was once a British base in the Mediterranean. Admiral Byng was shot on his own quarter-deck by order of a court-martial for failure to relieve it when it was besieged by the French.

Although we could, by arrangement with France, use Bizerte or other harbours on the French North African coast and Toulon in the South of France, the communications would be difficult.

Furthermore, the magnificent Spanish harbours of Vigo and Villa Garcia in the North of Spain and Cadiz in the south, both on the Atlantic seaboard, would be available as bases for German or Italian cruisers and submarines in case of war.

The British Channel Fleet frequently used Vigo and Villa Garcia for the purpose of exercises and manoeuvres by friendly arrangement with Spain, in pre-war days.

During part of the Great War I was on the Staff at Gibraltar and had knowledge of what was going on in Spain.

Most of the aristocracy and the Army officers were pro-German.

The thought of Spain coming in against us at one critical stage of the war was a real nightmare.

Our only sure friends in Spain at that time were the Republicans and Socialists — the so-called "Reds" of to-day.

Portugal might be forced into the threatened Fascist combination, and there would be then additional landing harbours at the disposal of this anti-British and anti-French Confederacy.

Our nearest Atlantic bases, supposing France was on our side, would be Bordeaux, deep

in the Bay of Biscay, Brest and Plymouth. For operations on the Atlantic trade routes, especially on the very important sea communications with South Africa and South America, our opponents would be on interior lines.

Such convoys as we brought from the Cape or managed to escort westwards through the Mediterranean would have to run the gauntlet of attack from these Spanish and Portuguese harbours.

As if this were not enough, a Spanish alliance might give the Fascist Confederacy a cruiser base in the Canary Islands and at Rio de Oro, in Spanish territory, on the north-west shoulder of Africa.

Our difficulties of trade protection at sea in the last war were child's play compared to the problems set by such circumstances.

Again, it must be remembered that Italy has established an "Empire" in North-East Africa, with a potential threat to our Red Sea trade route to India. We can assume with certainty that in the event of such a war, or even the threat of such a war, we could not dispatch a large fleet to the Pacific in case of need. And who would guarantee that Japan would not join such a Confederacy?

Now as to France.

French national defence is directed towards safeguarding her north-eastern frontiers against a possible German threat. A Fascist Spain would cause France to detach an army to guard the Pyrenees and to erect fortifications on the Franco-Spanish frontier. With an enemy based on the Balearic Islands and the Spanish Mediterranean ports, the passage of troops from Algeria to the South of France to reinforce the Metropolitan armies would be difficult.

To sum up: if the Fascists win in Spain, with German and Italian help, the balance may be tipped against the anti-Fascist nations. Neither the policy of "splendid isolation" nor hundred per cent. non-resistance will avail us in Britain if we abandon our friends on the Continent of Europe.

And yet Tories blindly cheer the reports of rebel victories and our "National" Government adopts an attitude of malevolent neutrality towards the constitutionally elected Government of Spain.

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THE marshalling of medical services all over Britain for a nation-wide attack on disease was foreshadowed by Sir E. Farquhar Buzzard in his presidential address to the British Medical Association at Oxford.

Declaring that the war on disease had up to now been conducted on a wasteful and ill-organised system, Sir Farquhar envisaged the creation of "health centres" in each district from which would be controlled all the medical services in that area.

He also suggested the provision of a central training school for men and women anxious to devote their lives to medical research.

The association decided that the suggestions in Sir Farquhar's speech should be considered by its council.

Sir Henry Brackenbury said that the sum required was not so enormous, and the financial state of the nation was improving.

Later he remarked: "I submit that the nation owes us more than it has ever paid us."

Commenting on the presidential address, a Ministry of Health spokesman said to a *Daily Mail* reporter: "This department will naturally consider carefully and sympathetically any suggestions made by Sir Farquhar Buzzard or the British Medical Association as a whole."

DOCTORS OVERWORKED

In his speech Sir Farquhar said: "The chief flaw in the medical service which has evolved in this country during the last century is lack of time. Both general practitioner and consultant, to earn a living wage, are obliged to undertake far more work than they can deal with efficiently.

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London, Sept. 9.

British and American naval experts and diplomats are conferring to determine the respective policies of their countries in view of Japan's decision to expand her submarine tonnage beyond the limits of the London Treaty.

The British Embassy in Washington last week handed the United States Government a copy of Japan's note to His Majesty's Government, informing Britain that London's proposal to retain over-age destroyer tonnage in service would cause Japan to increase her submarine strength by keeping over-age ships in commission. The British Ambassador asked for the American reaction.

The interchange was carried a step further on Monday, when Mr. Herschell Johnson, Secretary of the United States Embassy in London, discussed the situation with Mr. Adrian Holmes, British naval expert.

It is understood here that the United States adopted the attitude that Japan's proposals, if carried out, would be tantamount to invoking the "escalator clause" of the London Treaty and hence the United States was entitled to a similar move. This statement possibly signifies that the United States has decided to increase its submarine tonnage.—United Press.

U.S. Reactions

Washington, Sept. 9.
"If the Japanese have not agreed to fourteen inch guns by April 1, 1937, then the sky is the limit for the armament of the two battleships to be laid down next year," declared Admiral William Standley, Acting Secretary for the Navy, when speaking at a press conference to-day.

Mr. Claude Swanson, Secretary for the Navy, attended the conference for the first time in many months. He has had a long illness.

Mr. Swanson asserted that Japan's proposal to retain 15,000 tons of over-age submarines in response to Great Britain's announced determination to retain some 40,000 tons of destroyer tonnage, would involve the violation of the London Treaty. The United States would take no action, he went on, until it was known definitely that Japan was going to keep these under-sea ships in commission.

Mr. Swanson opposed the formation of a European Squadron of the United States Navy, because, he said, it might involve the United States in European political matters.—Reuter.

Twenty Inch Guns?

Washington, Sept. 9.
Mr. Claude Swanson, Navy Department chief, announced to-day completion of the plans for two battleships which will probably carry guns of 16 inch calibre, or larger, unless the new London Treaty limitations are made effective, which depends on the actions of Britain and Japan.

Mr. Swanson mentioned 20 inch guns as feasible. But naval observers doubt if they would be so large.

The Department only awaits President F. D. Roosevelt's signal to proceed to make a start on the laying of the keels of the two proposed big ships, Mr. Swanson said.

Pacific War Game

Mr. Swanson further announced that the 1937 naval manoeuvres would be held in the Hawaiian and North Pacific waters in May and June.

Although officials carefully avoided designating any area, it is learned the manoeuvres will probably take place in the locality covered in the 1935 war games and that the arms of the fleet will extend as far west as Wake Island.—United Press.

HOOVER CAN'T SAIL

San Francisco, Sept. 9.
A further deadlock between the Seamen's Union and the Dollar Steamship Company has now delayed indefinitely the sailing of the liner, President Hoover, due to leave at midnight to-night with four East

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SUPPORT
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Paris, Sept. 8.
The French trade unions have decided to support M. Leon Blum's policy.

At the meeting of the General Labour Federation called to define the attitude of the workers to the Government's decision to place a ban on arms exports to Spain, it was decided the Federation would reaffirm its entire support of the Popular Front Government.

In a communiqué the Federation requested M. Blum to act promptly with a view to summoning the League of Nations Council, there to ask all Governments for strict observance of the Covenant.

The Federation also requested the Government to reconsider, in agreement with the British and other democratic Governments, the policy of neutrality. It was pointed out that the possibilities of achieving complete non-intervention had been compromised owing to the attitude of countries taking sides with factions opposed to the Popular Front Government in Spain, while the action taken by Portugal and Germany endangered the principle of neutrality itself.

The Federation appealed to the British trade unions to support their

TRI-CORNERED STRUGGLE FOR SANSEBASTIAN

Wild Confusion As
Rebels Lay Siege

FACTIONS FIGHTING IN
STREETS OF CITY

(SPECIAL TO "TELEGRAPH")

San Sebastian, Sept. 9.

This correspondent arrived in San Sebastian to find the besieged city in the throes of the three-cornered battle, the anarchists and Basque Nationalists fighting in the streets and rebel militia and volunteers attacking the anarchists who have barricaded themselves on the edge of the port.

Thousands of civilians are fleeing on foot, on horseback or in boats to the comparative safety of Bilbao and Santander.

I am informed that 400 anarchists and extremists have been arrested.—United Press.

SURRENDER EXPECTED

Outside San Sebastian, Sept. 9.

It is indicated that the defenders of San Sebastian will surrender without resistance when the insurgent attack opens. The rebel outposts are already occupying the outskirts of the city proper.

Anarchists have manned machine-guns atop the heavily fortified heights of Trinchera.

The great question at present is whether the anarchists will fulfil their threat and dynamite the city.

Loyalists have reported that the Civil Governor, Senor Antonio Ortega, has formed the Basque Nationalists into special police units and has arrested hundreds of anarchists in a day-long round-up.

The Basques have simultaneously organized a hasty defence.—United Press.

LOYALIST ATTACK OPENED

MADRID SEEKS TO
LIFT PRESSURE

NEW SCHEME
OF ACTION

Madrid, Sept. 10.

A special Order of the Day, addressed to all troops of the 1st Division who are embarking for Palestine, by General Gathorne Hardy, Commander-in-Chief at Aldershot, says:—"I cannot let you leave without wishing you good luck during what I hope and believe will only be a short visit to Palestine. Remember that the maintenance of law and order is a thankless task which brings little honour or reward, but entails heavy responsibilities. The fame of the British Army stands high as the result of many such arduous tasks. I know you all well enough to be completely satisfied that this great reputation is safe in your hands and that when you return you will have raised it to an even higher level."

A Marseilles message states that Lieutenant General J. G. Dill, newly-appointed Commander in Palestine, embarked on the destroyer Douglas there this afternoon.—British Wireless.

NO TENNIS INTERPORT THIS YEAR

SHANGHAI CANNOT
RAISE TEAM

UNEXPECTED DECISION

(Special To "Telegraph")

Shanghai, Sept. 10.
There will be no tennis Interport between Hongkong and Shanghai this year.

This decision the Shanghai Lawn Tennis Association regrettably reached yesterday, announces an exclusive message from United Press.

In stating that Shanghai would not send a team to Hongkong this year, the L.T.A. said it is because "representative sides could not be raised."—United Press.

This decision is entirely unexpected, writes "Veritas," because Shanghai tentatively accepted Hongkong's invitation to send men's and ladies' teams to the Colony for the Double Tennis. According to the Shanghai newspapers just now leading players had been circularised enquiring whether they could make the trip, but apparently the replies have been completely in the negative.

This decision is particularly disappointing as Hongkong was looking forward to seeing Lewis Carson, "Stick" Duff, Squires and Gordon Lunn in action on our courts.

The last time Shanghai sent a team to Hongkong was in 1932, when they won the Interport by the odd match. Hongkong just won a tennis Interport against Shanghai in 1929. In 1931 Shanghai were hosts and won 4-3. They won again in 1932 and after a lapse of two years entertained a Colony side in 1933 and again won hands down, the late Kho Hoo-hye, Lewis Carson, Gordon Lunn, W. A. H. Duff and Colgate being Shanghai's representatives.

"Good Luck" To Troops

ON DEPARTURE FOR PALESTINE

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It is learned that the comprehensive programme has been approved by the Government's General Staff, which includes intensification of the attacks on Toledo and Huesca, Teruel and Oviedo. Also, the troops engaged in siege at these four sectors will be rushed to other sectors as soon as their work is completed.

Artillery and aeroplanes have shifted to new centres of attack and a drive is planned against the rebels in the north, at Burgos and Valladolid. The loyalists are advancing from the Leon area in the north-west. The Government also plans to besiege the insurgents in Andalusia; in the south, by way of Estremadura and the country bordering Portugal.

With the completion of the operations outlined here, the Government will concentrate upon subduing Navarre and then will proceed against Morocco and the Balearic Islands.—United Press.

URGED TO SURRENDER

Toledo, Sept. 9.

Unarmed and blindfolded, Major Rojo, commanding the Loyalist troops outside Alcazar, approached the ancient walls of the city this morning and asked 1,700 rebels to surrender.

His request was met with a blank refusal.

In dead silence, Major Rojo returned to his comrades and reported that the rebels had refused to give up their positions.

Immediately afterwards, the loyalists began an artillery and airplane bombardment of the city.

Major Rojo called for volunteers to form a "Death Battalion" as an

(Continued on Page 4.)

FRANCO-SYRIAN TREATY

ANGLO-IRAQ PACT USED AS MODEL

Paris, Sept. 9.
The Franco-Syrian Treaty was initiated to-day in the famous Clock Room at the Quai d'Orsay.

The Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs declared: "We have derived much experience from the British mandate over Iraq, and have made the Franco-Syrian Treaty on the same lines as the Anglo-Iraq Treaty, but it avoids the mistake in the latter Treaty of not ensuring protection to Christians and other minorities."

"The Syrians are pleased, we are pleased and the world is pleased," added the Under-Secretary.—Reuter's Bulletin Service.

NEW LOCARNO PACT

London, Sept. 9.
It is reliably learned that Great Britain has invited France, Germany and Belgium to a conference in London on October 10 to negotiate a new Locarno Treaty.—United Press.

Your FACE VALUE

Its Effect on Health

TO-DAY I want to talk about looks. But please don't think this is a beauty article. It has to do with health. During long years of experience I have found that a slight disfigurement has caused many patients to feel a sense of inferiority which has shown itself in various nervous symptoms.

It may be only a slight blemish which others would not notice, perhaps, but, through constant worry, it assumes abnormal proportions to the person concerned. Some women spend hundreds of pounds to have a blemish removed.

The result of this worry is to make the sufferer feel that she is different from everybody else. She either becomes shy and lacks confidence, or she assumes a protective cloak of aggression to cover her sensitiveness.

In either case, these nervous symptoms often react on the general health and lower the resistance of the individual to minor ailments.

These cases are just as worthy of the doctor's care and attention as any other trouble which affects health.

Scars often cause considerable disfigurement, but it is almost impossible to remove a scar without leaving another in its place. There is no certain cure for them, because they are formed from tough, fibrous tissue which has taken the place of the skin filling in the gap between the edges of the wound.

Skin Troubles

The question then is really one for the surgeon, who may be able to replace one existing scar with another which is more slight. Plastic surgery is a highly skilful art which since the war has brought happiness to many.

Other diseases are responsible for much facial disfigurement. It is not possible to treat these cases successfully unless the type of skin trouble is known. This means a medical examination.

But there is one type which is particularly common, especially in young people—Acne. In these cases the skin is usually coarse, sallow and somewhat oily. The tiny pores are easily seen and blackheads are common.

Acne shows itself in three numbers of red pimples, some with yellow heads, others of the "white boil" type. Permanent scars result from many of these pimples, and sometimes the face is marred as though the patient had suffered from smallpox.

Important Hygiene

Acne is often difficult to treat. In the young it tends to clear up entirely before the age of 20. Fresh air, fresh fruit, green vegetables and attention to the bowels is an important part of treatment.

Cleanliness is essential. Don't be afraid to use plenty of hot water and a good skin soap. Carefully, and without bruising the skin, squeeze out all blackheads. Then wipe the skin with a weak solution of peroxide of hydrogen.

Where the skin is greasy, ointments should be avoided.

If this treatment fails to have any marked effect, X-ray treatment is often helpful, but it will have no lasting results if you neglect hygiene. The skin must be kept clean.

Red noses may result from a lowered state of the general health, from indigestion, or from skin disease. In some cases no cause can be found.

Examination by a doctor is advisable in cases where this trouble exists. It will probably have a great deal of worry and experimenting with remedies.

Digestive troubles can be corrected by medical treatment, and if the general health is below par, your doctor will be able to put you on the way towards recovery.

There no cause can be found and the condition must, in consequence, be put down to a peculiarity of the individual, the best thing to do is to use some form of cosmetic which will hide the disfigurement.

Enlarged tonsils and adenoids frequently give the individual a vacant expression. The pinched nose and open mouth so often seen are typical of this condition. The exaggerated treatment at an early age. Mental backwardness, lung troubles, and stunted growth may result if nothing is done.

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Make It With Flowers

Hat & Muff

Set



THIS charming hat and muff," says our artist, "was designed for Ascot, but it will also be worn in place of the halo evening head-dress so popular last season."

Fresh flowers are used for the massed blooms resting on the head; daisies, poppies and cornflowers; they are repeated, too, in the muff, which has a frill of deep blue tulle to match the veil. This model has inspired tiny toque-shaped hats, composed entirely of flowers, some of which give one the idea that you have robbed the garden

for your summer millinery.

Flowers predominate as a hat ornament this summer, and many are lavishly used as trimmings. Where they are not spread over the top of the hat, they are packed away closely beneath the brim.

Sometimes, a couple of large blossoms will top the crown, but only when your face is round and small must you dare to wear this style and then only with a wide brim and hat with a 'sideway tilt.'

BERETS ARE BACK!

FASHION is welcoming the beret again with open arms. Berets are back in all sorts of shapes and sizes. Some of them even have a poke crown!



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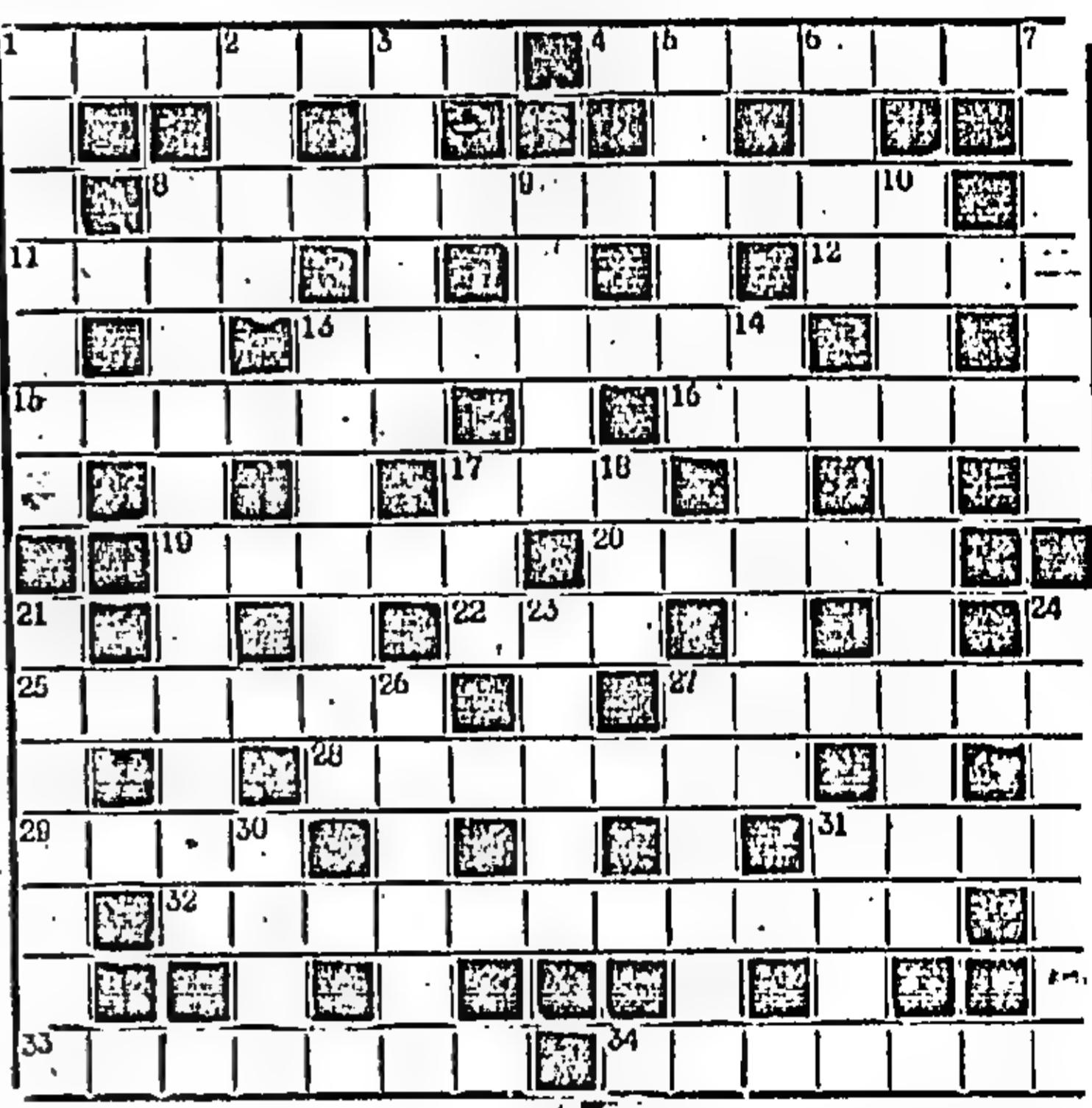
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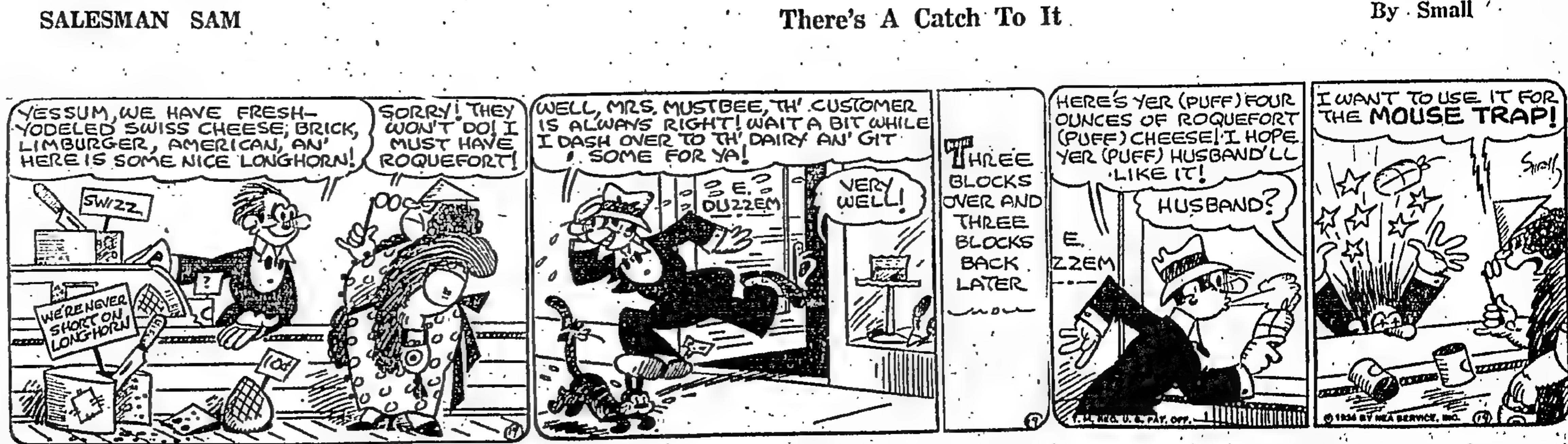
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MARY ASTOR: 'HYPNOTIC TORTURE'

COLOSSUS

John Barrymore
Named By Husband

Los Angeles, Aug. 25.
POWERFUL forces behind the scenes failed to bring about peace in the drama which began in earnest this afternoon in which Mary Astor, film star, and her husband, Dr. Franklyn Thorpe, are fighting for the custody of their four-year-old daughter Marilyn.

Fans and professionals rubbed shoulders in an attempt to enter the courtroom, but although Judge Knight had moved three times to larger courtrooms, "House full" notices were put up.

Amid sympathetic sighs, the beautiful Miss Astor, neat but tired, entered the witness stand.

In a broken voice she opened the attack on her husband by saying: "He said that unless I allowed him to get a divorce and the custody of our child, and do as he pleased, he would blacken my name and the names of my prominent friends."

"He said he would plaster them on the front pages of the newspapers and ruin my career as an actress."

"I told him that if he ruined my career I would not be able to support our child, and that he could not, or would not, do it. We went on for days and nights."

REPEATED THREATS

"He repeated the threats constantly until—well, until the divorce."

During short recess Miss Astor was told that a subpoena had been issued against the screen lover, John Barrymore, to give evidence in the case.

"It would be just as consistent for them to get a subpoena for President Roosevelt or Governor Landon," she said contemptuously.

"John Barrymore has nothing to do with the case."

The battle continued.

"He struck me once," sobbed Miss Astor. "I did not know but what he

might do it again. He had got me into a hysterical state."

"He used to form hypnotic control over me at a time when I was ill, and in a state of semi-hysteria, too ill to talk."

Attorney Anderson was on his feet again with an objection. The reference to hypnotic control was struck out.

"Miss Astor said she moved away from her home about April 1 last year, taking her baby with her."

"I couldn't stand his tormenting me with these continuous threats," she said.

"Were these threats the reason you gave Dr. Thorpe the guardianship of the child?" asked the lawyer.

"Yes," said Miss Astor determinedly.

She was shown a copy of the trust agreement, which stipulated that she should not take the child from the State without his permission.

BEDSIDE SCENE

"Why did you sign it?" Miss Astor was asked.

"Because I was told by Dr. Thorpe," she answered.

She then recounted an alleged conversation with Dr. Thorpe, his attorney, and Miss Ethel Pepin.

"It occurred in the library, where I had made up a bed while I was ill at the end of March 1935," said Miss Astor.

Dr. Thorpe said: "This thing is going to be the way I want it. I am going to get a divorce and the custody of the child, and arrange distribution of property."

"I said I would do as he pleased."

"There was nothing else I could do."

"I was ill and heartsick over the way things were turning out. I was helped. I left."

Miss Astor sat down and Attorney Joseph Anderson rose and began to hurl questions at Miss Astor.

"Isn't it a fact," he asked, "that you had already selected a place to live before you discussed the divorce?"

"It's not a fact," said Miss Astor.

The judge banged his gavel and ordered the court to be adjourned for luncheon.

Anderson shouted across the room, "I'm not going to take the time to answer all these incriminating and phoney statements by counsel; I am going to prove conclusively before I am through—"

"Be careful what you say," interrupted Miss Astor's counsel. "You're responsible for scandalising statements that are not proved."

Stratosphere Air
Liners

New York, Aug. 25.
STRATOSPHERE flying for passenger aeroplanes is the latest development of aviation. Trans-continental and Western Air-lines announced plans for a new fleet of super-liners, which they hope will fly at altitudes up to 30,000 ft.

An official said to-day: "We are going to take up the scientific study of high altitude flying where Willy Post (the famous 'one-eyed' airman who flew alone around the world) left off. Modern airliners can ascend to higher altitudes than those at which they are generally used, but very little is known of the reactions of the crew and passengers."

"We have withdrawn an aeroplane from our passenger service, and it is now being equipped with various instruments for making tests at high altitudes. The future development of our planes will rest largely on these tests."

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Court Sits In
CameraCUSTODY OF AN
INFANT PRINCE

The application listed as "Monaco, Marriage, injunction," concerning the custody of Prince Rainier, 12-year-old son of Prince Pierre of Monaco, was before Mr. Justice Bucknill, sitting as the Vacant Judge in the High Court recently.

When the case was called on, counsel on both sides asked that the matter should be taken in camera as it concerned the custody of an infant.

Mr. Justice Bucknill needed to this request, and the Court was at once cleared.

Applying for the motion to be taken in private, Mr. R. E. L. Vaughan Williams, K.C., said that he appeared for the plaintiff, and the matter concerned the custody of an infant, the grandson of the plaintiff and the son of the defendant.

Mr. H. Wynn Parry, K.C. (for the defendant)—I support the application. It is the usual practice, and I think it is eminently in the interests of the infant and all the parties that the question of the custody of this child should not be discussed in public.

Mr. Justice Bucknill—If both sides wish that it shall be heard in camera, I will so hear it.

Mr. Vaughan Williams—We shall all be very much obliged.

ADJOURNMENT PLEA

Mr. Vaughan Williams then mentioned the question of an adjournment, stating that he received an affidavit late the previous night which he desired to answer.

"There are other circumstances which ought to be before the Court," he added, "and I ask for an adjournment until next Wednesday."

Mr. Wynn Parry said that he opposed an adjournment. "An affidavit was obtained from Mr. Justice Eve last week, and for reasons which I should like to tell your Lordship when the Court is cleared I desire that the matter should be dealt with to-day. I do not wish to say any more before the Court is in camera."

Mr. Justice Bucknill—Having regard to the fact that both sides wish this case to be heard in camera, I order that the Court be cleared.

The Court was crowded, both in the well and in the public gallery, and the only people allowed to remain were the interested parties and officials.

For the plaintiff, Mr. R. E. L. Vaughan Williams, K.C., Mr. H. O. Danks, Mr. Acland-Hood (Messrs. Parker, Garrett, and Oo), for the defendant, Mr. H. Wynn Parry, K.C., Mr. Raymond Jennings (Messrs. Lewis and Lewis).

No Fight For
Colonies

A GERMAN VIEW

"The idea that Germany may go to war in order to get her colonies back is preposterous," declared Dr. Karl von Aichinger, a German journalist resident in London, when he addressed the Liberal Summer School at Oxford recently.

He declared that the procedure adopted by the Allies in 1919 with regard to colonies was bound to make Germans suspicious, when they heard so much of the trusteeship for coloured races.

Germany did not raise any new or unlimited claims in the colonial field, but what she did claim were her rightful possessions which she had held in the past. The economic side of the problem, important though it may have been, was irrelevant.

What came first in the minds of the German people when they thought of the question at all was the matter of honour and justice.

Germany would never admit that the action which she was compelled to take in 1919 at the point of the bayonet and on the threat of starvation for her women and children in holding over her colonies gave any right of possession in favour of the Allies.

SIMPLE SOLUTION

"A plain and simple solution, indeed the only natural solution from the point of view of honour and justice, both of the Allies and Germany, would be the restoration of the colonies in question to their lawful possessors—Germany."

"If the Mandatory Powers," he added, "could see their way to such a solution without haggling and bargaining—which we are thoroughly sick in post-War years—they would do more for the re-establishment of better and really cordial relationship among the great nations of Europe than could be done by any other single act."

Germany, excluded from participation in the great task of colonisation and Germany, declared to be a second-class nation in the question of colonial development, would be bound to be a centre of political and social unrest.

One witness expressed indignation that the prisoner got into the Vatican under false pretences. He never was a student and had not even the excuse of a student's passion for some rare and fascinating volumes. He stole a book of little value which some of the intellectual joys of the world lay within his reach.

If they could give Germany the opportunity to take part, Europe would have one of the biggest assets she could ever have for the future.

Sir ARTHUR SALTER'S VIEW

Sir Arthur Salter, speaking at the evening meeting, said that in the present circumstances he did not think

that we should transfer to Germany her post-War colonies.

"I agree," he said, "that the Treaty of Versailles and the accompanying documents included a great deal of hypocritical and indefensible nonsense about why we took Germany's colonies. The plain truth is that we and the rest of the Allies took them because we had won them in war."

"Even though there were no other difficulties in the way of our doing it, I believe that by giving back those colonies, we should not only buy peace, but should buy additional trouble."

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Agent, Hongkong, 5th September, 1936.

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All claims against the steamer must be presented to the Underwriters on or before the 20th September, 1936, or they will not be recognized.

To comply with the General Bonded Warehouse Regulations consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged dutiable goods are examined.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 11th September, 1936, at 10 a.m., by Messrs. Goddard and Douglas.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

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RADIO BROADCAST

(Continued from Page 7.)

Evening Comes. Lonely Street, 5. Instrumental—Nola; Polly, Kitten on the Keys; Russian Rag.

10 p.m. Big Ben from London.

Recital by Grace Moore (Soprano).

(a) They call me Mimi—"La Boheme" (Puccini). (b) Farewell Act—"La Boheme" (Puccini). (c) Musetta's Waltz Song—"La Boheme" (Puccini). (d) Funckle Funckle (Denzza).

10.15 p.m. Aldershot: Command Searchlight Tattoo, 1936 played by the Massed Bands of the Aldershot and Eastern Command.

10.32 p.m. Maurice Winnick and his Orchestra.

11 p.m. Close Down.

WHOLESALE PRICES

London, Sept. 9. The Board of Trade index of wholesale prices showed an increase in August of 1.7 per cent. from July, the index number being the highest recorded since September, 1930. During the first five months of this year, wholesale prices were relatively stable, but an appreciable rise has been recorded in each of the last three months, the aggregate increase since May amounting to over 3.5 per cent.

British Wireless.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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PARTICULARS & CONDITIONS

of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Monday, the 14th day of September, 1936, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of Hong Kong for a term of 75 years, commencing from 1st July, 1898 with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the King, for one further term of 24 years less the last three days thereof.

Intending bidders are advised that immediately after the disposal of the lot the purchaser will be required to deposit with an authorised officer who will be present at the sale, the sum of two hundred dollars, \$200.00 in cash. This sum will be refunded on payment of the purchase price.

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1	Lot No. 2506	Adjoining New Kowloon Island Lat. N 115° 30' S. Boundary Street.	As per sale plan.	Appt. 1000	\$668	50,240		

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

MARKET IRREGULAR YESTERDAY

New York, Sept. 9. Swan, Culbertson & Fritz, Dow Jones' subsidiary of yesterday's market—The market to-day was irregular and a number of leading issues declined on realising, although some special stocks advanced on selective buying. Steel shares were the first to suffer, after which easiness spread to other groups. Packards were extremely active, touching a new high level of 134, but Chrysler and General Motor shares declined. Utilities met with some support. Radio Corporation of America shares were active, advancing on speculative demand. Both the Bond Market and the Curb Exchange were irregular.

S. C. & F. New York office cables: Stocks: The market reflects a certain amount of profit-taking, but the undertone is firm. Montgomery Ward's, for August were 20% above those for August of last year. Business failures for the week amounted to 163. Bank deposits for the week were \$14,000,000.

Cotton: Spot houses are reported to be taking all offerings, which are reflected in hedge-selling that outside interests are apparently unable to absorb. The cotton mills are firm, buying.

Wheat: The Government's weekly report is slightly bearish and is reflected in sales, but the world statistical position is unchanged, with foreign buying for December and May on reactions.

Corn: There have been favourable signs in several sections of the corn belt. The Government's weekly report is slightly bearish and demand is less aggressive.

Rubber: The French political situation is disturbing. The factories are out of the market for the moment. S. C. & F. Wall Street Journal morning comment:—"London believes that the Frane will eventually be devasted. The cotton crop, Government estimate helps the textile outlook. Cinema stocks are favoured, with increasing talk of high admission prices this Autumn. The street believes that copper prices will be advanced soon. Many traders are favouring rails, particularly New York Central, Pennsylvania and Baltimore-O. It is hoped that the Western Union Telegraph Company is increasing its earnings."

REUTER QUOTATIONS

Dow Jones Averages:

Sept. 8, Sept. 9.

20 Industrial... 100.65 108.50

20 Ralls... 56.11 55.95

20 Utilities... 35.15 35.04

40 Bonds... 104.50 104.48

11 Commodity... 67.10 67.01

SHARE PRICES

The following is the list of local share quotations issued this morning.

Banks.

H. K. Banks, \$1,600 b.

H. K. Banks (Lon. Reg.) £102 1/2 n.

Chartered Bank, £15 1/2 n.

Mercantile Bank, A. and B. £21 1/2 n.

Mercantile Bank, C. £14 1/2 n.

East Asia Bank, \$76 b.

Insurances.

Canton In., \$276 n.

Union In., \$575 b.

China Underwriters, \$1,00 n.

China Fire, \$462 n.

H. K. Fire, In., \$255 n.

Internal Asse, Sh. \$3 1/2 n.

Shipping.

Douglas, \$30 n.

H. K. Steamboats, \$4 n.

Indo-Chinas (Prefo), \$30 n.

Indo-Chinas (Def.), \$20 n.

Shell (Bener), 110/- n.

Union Waterboats, \$12 n.

Docks etc.

H. K. Wharves (old), \$108 b.

H. K. & W. Docks, 13 1/2 b.

Providents (old), \$2,050 n.

Providents (new), 20 cta. n.

Hongkew (old), Sh. \$15 1/2 n.

New Engineering, Sh. \$4 n.

Shanghai Docks, Sh. \$81 1/2 n.

Mining.

Kailan, 10/3 n.

Langkata (Single), \$3 1/2 n.

Shai Explorations, Sh. \$2 n.

Shai Loans, Sh. \$2 n.

Raub, \$11.60 n.

Venz: Goldfield \$4 1/2 b.

Antimoks, \$5.60 b.

Atoks, \$1,000 cts. n. ex. rts.

Bagule Gold 56 cts. n.

Balutco, \$24 n.

Benguet Consolidated, \$24 n.

Benguet Exp., 47 cts. n.

Big Wedges, 77 cts. n.

Consolidated Mines, 10 1/2 cts. n.

Demonstration, \$1.52 b.

Gold Creek, 55 cts. n.

Gold River, 12 cts. n.

Ipo Gold 38 cts. n.

Hogons, \$2.90 b.

I. X. L., \$3.50 b.

Matchate, \$1.06 n.

Northern Mining, 52 cts. n.

Paracale Gumus, \$1.11 n.

Salicot, 19 1/2 cts. n.

San Mauricio, \$4.40 b.

Santa Rosa, 14 1/2 cts. n.

Suyoc Consols, \$1.25 b.

United Paracale, \$2.75 b.

Mambuluo —.

Lands, Hotels, etc.

H. K. L. & H. S., \$5.90 n.

H. K. Lunds, \$40 b.

H. K. Lands, 47 c. Duben. \$105 n.

Shui Lands, Sh. \$13 n.

Metropolitan Lands, Sh. \$10 n.

Humphries, \$9 1/2 n.

H. K. Realities, \$5.60 n.

Chinese Estates, \$80 n.

China Realities, Sh. \$4 n.

China Debentures, Sh. \$60 n.

Public Utilities.

H. K. Tramways, \$13 n.

Peak Trams (old), \$6 1/2 n.

Peak Trams (new), \$2 1/2 n.

Star Ferries, \$91 b.

Yau Ma Tei Ferries, (old) \$21 1/2 b.

China Lights, \$13 1/2 n.

China Light, (new) \$10 1/2 n.

H. K. Electric, \$4 1/2 b.

Macau Electric, \$20 n.

Sandakan Lights, \$8.30 n.



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CHITRAL	15,000	10th Sept.		Marseilles & London.
RANPUR	17,000	3rd Oct.		Marseilles & London.
1 st BHUTAN	6,000	10th Oct.		Marseilles, Havre, London, Hull, Hamburg, Rotterdam & Antwerp.
RAWALPINDI	17,000	17th Oct.		Marseilles & London.
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SANTHIA	8,000	10th Oct.		Rangoon & Calcutta.
GOGRA	7,000	24th Oct.		
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NELLORE	7,000	31st Oct.	McLbourne & Hobart.
TANDA	7,000	4th Dec.	

SAILINGS TO SHANGHAI & JAPAN

DEHAR	6,000	13th Sept.	Shanghai & Japan.
SANTHIA	10,000	17th Sept.	Amoy, Shanghai & Japan.
RAWALPINDI	17,000	17th Sept.	Shanghai & Japan.
SOUDAN	6,000	20th Sept.	Shanghai & Japan.
CORFU	14,000	1st Oct.	Shanghai & Japan.
GOGRA	7,000	1st Oct.	Direct to Japan.

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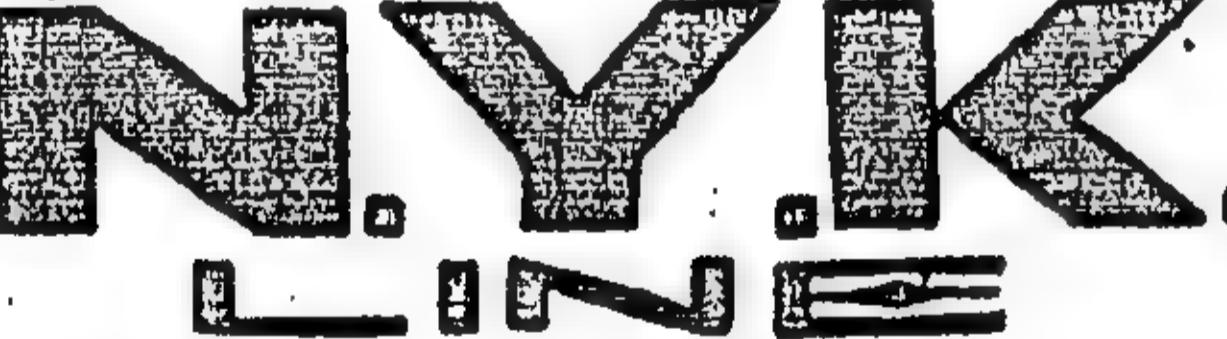
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HEROIN DIVAN RAIDED

TWO ARRESTS; ONE CONVICTION

Two clansmen, Leung Pun, 37, and Leung Tsing, 31, appeared before Mr. Macfadyen this morning, charged with possession of 708 heroin pills. They had been arrested on September 2, on the first floor of 135 Temple Street. The first defendant pleaded not guilty, but his companion admitted the offence.

Revenue Officer J. O'Neill said he believed first defendant was the principal tenant of the place, while he was an opium and heroin divan, but the only evidence against him was that he was on the premises when the raid took place. The pills were found in a drawer.

First defendant was discharged, and the other was fined \$500, or two months' hard labour.

Tung Kam, 50, unemployed, Leung Siu, 38, delivery boy, Yu Lai, 25, servant, Chin Lung, 31, carpenter, Chan Ho, 33, married woman, and Leung Chun, 24, spinster, were brought before Mr. E. Hinsworth at the Kowloon Magistrate this morning, charged with the operation of a big heroin pill factory.

Revenue Officer Brown stated that he had been asked to apply for formal remand of one week.

His worship granted the remand. Each defendant was allowed bail to the sum of \$2,500.

ROBBERS STEAL GOLD RING

MANAGE TO EVADE CAPTURE

A robbery on a jewellers' shop last night was reported to the police by Tsui Mui, a salesman, who said the robbers stole a gold finger ring and threw pepper in his eyes.

In his report, the salesman said that about 9:25 p.m. yesterday, two men entered the ground floor of the Po Loi goldsmith firm, No. 87 Queen's Road East, while he was behind the counter. One of them asked to be shown some gold rings from a showcase, and Tsui handed a tray over to

The man took up one ring and examined it, and then passed it over to the second man, who also examined the ring. This man then returned the ring to the first man, who put it on a finger of his left hand. He then placed his right hand in his jacket and pulled out a packet of pepper which he threw into Tsui's eyes.

Both men ran out of the shop into Swatow Lane, and Tsui raised the alarm and pursued them, but the assailants managed to get away.

HOTEL PROWLER CONVICTED

TWO-MONTHS' GAOL TERM

Chan Lum, 24, unemployed, appeared before Mr. S. F. Balfour at the Central Magistracy this morning, and pleaded guilty to a charge of housebreaking with the intent to commit a felony.

Sergeant Bryan related that defendant was formerly employed at the Luk Hoi Tung Hotel, owned by the complainant, Yi Ol. Two days ago, defendant came down from the country, and went to see complainant who gave him a room to pass the night. During the night, an arm of the hotel saw defendant prowling around the premises in a suspicious manner and finally saw him entering a room adjoining his own, with a duplicate key. She informed the complainant who had defendant arrested.

Defendant was sentenced to two months' hard labour.

FILM OF BIG FIGHT

CROWDS SEE SCREENING

There were packed houses at all sessions at the Queen's Theatre yesterday, when the film of the big fight between Max Schmeling and Joe Louis was screened for the first time. Every round is depicted in the film, which is one of the finest boxing pictures ever screened, and should not be missed.

In addition, "Her Master's Voice" was screened, this being a delightful comedy featuring Edward Everett Horton.

There were also crowded houses at the Alhambra to see the big fight film.

EXCURSION SHIP SINKS

OVER 200 RESCUED IN COLLISION

Boston (Mass.), Sept. 9. An excursion steamer carrying 160 passengers and a crew of 53 is reported to have sunk five miles off the coast, after being in collision with the liner, New York.

The collision occurred during a dense fog, and latest reports indicate that the New York has picked up all the passengers and crew. —Telegraph.

FOUR APPEALS SUCCEED

POSTAL REGULATIONS DISPUTE

QUASHING OF CONVICTIONS

Four appeals against the decision of Mr. S. F. Balfour, Magistrate, regarding a breach of the Post Office regulations were allowed by the Chief Justice, Sir Atholl MacGregor, in the Supreme Court this morning. The appellants were Lal Cheung, licensee of the Ki Sang Chan boarding house; Lal Chu, licensee of the Cheung Fat Chan boarding house; and Fung Kai-ting, licensee of the Ping On Chan boarding house. The last-named appealed on two counts.

Mr. Leo D'Almada, appeared for the appellants, and Mr. J. Abbott, Assistant Crown Solicitor, was for the respondent, Mr. H. R. Butters, Postmaster-General, who was present in Court.

Mr. D'Almada said the appellants were against the conviction by Mr. S. F. Balfour on charges of having sent through the post registered packages containing letters for delivery in Singapore, contrary to Regulation 14 made under the Post Office Ordinance, 1926.

The packets came under suspicion in Singapore where they were opened and found to contain several letters each. On the outside of the packets, there were ordinary registration envelopes, and there appeared in the corner the name and address of the particular boarding houses of which each of the appellants was the licensee. That, continued counsel, was the sole evidence upon which the Magistrate convicted the appellants.

EVIDENCE UNSHAKEN

At the close of the case for the Crown, the solicitor for the defence submitted there was no case to answer but this was overruled. The result was that each of the defendants gave evidence, denying all knowledge of packages. Their evidence was unbroken under cross examination but in spite of that they were convicted and each fined \$100.

Continuing, counsel said the Magistrate appeared to have based his decision on sub-section 2 of section 36 of the Post Office Ordinance. He submitted the case could not come under this legislation because the name and the address of the sender of each package was the boarding house and not an individual, body corporate or a firm as covered by that section. No legislation had been provided for a case of this kind and the benefit should have gone to the defendants.

Counsel then went on to submit that the Magistrate was wrong in holding that the appellants were the senders of the packages because they were the senders of the packages. Assuming that the package bore the name of the Supreme Court, would the Registrar be held responsible? he asked. "Could not the sender be the Crown Solicitor, or even, with due respect, your Lordship?"

His Lordship: I make no admission. (Laughter.)

Continuing, Mr. D'Almada said there was nothing in the contents of the packages which connected the appellants. They had given evidence, completely denying knowledge of the package, and the testimony against them that they were the licensees of the boarding houses. No question arose as to the credibility of their evidence, and under the circumstances the appeal should be allowed.

Replying for the respondent, Mr. Abbott said it was not reasonable to expect that somebody had deliberately put a false name and address on the packages. There were two things in the postal service, either non-delivery or opening by the authorities. Having regard to the fact that non-delivery was more likely to happen, any sender would give a false name and address. He contended the Magistrate was right in coming to the conclusion that the defendants were the senders, and the decision should therefore be upheld.

APPEALS ALLOWED

Allowing the appeals, His Lordship said there was no evidence to show that boarding houses could be treated as firms and came under the ruling of sub-section 2 of section 36 of the Post Office Ordinance, upon which the Magistrate must have based his decision. The defence was a complete denial of any knowledge of the

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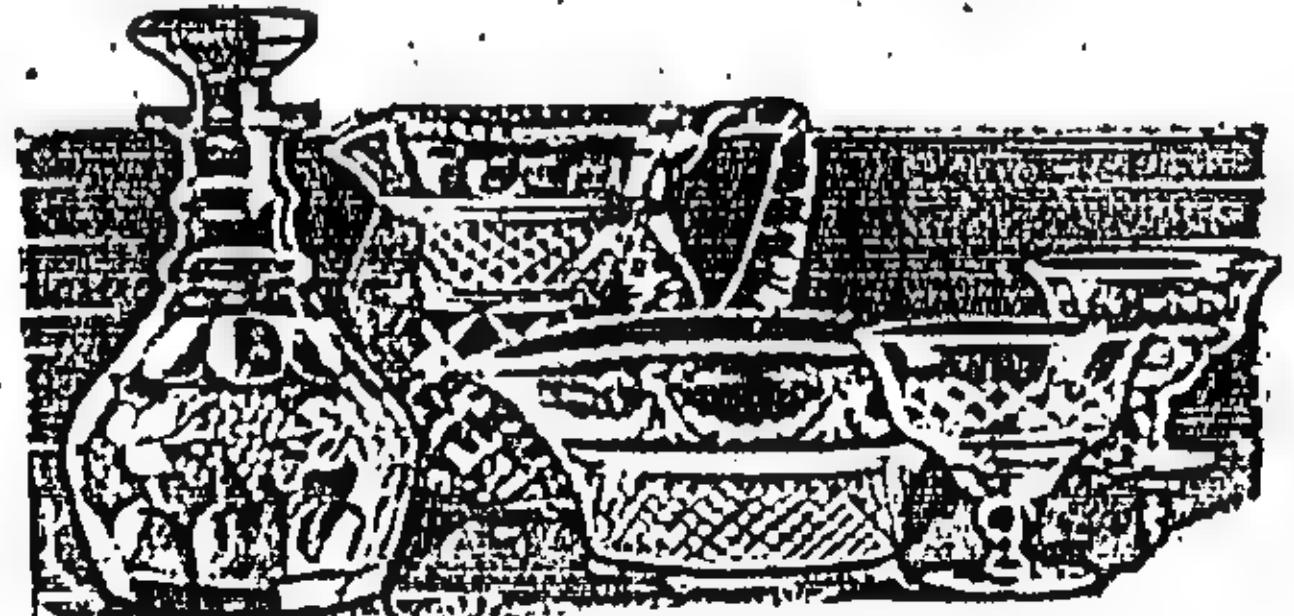
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SPECIAL TRAINING
FOR BUSINESS

The growing popularity of the course of business training began some years ago at the London School of Economics is indicative of changed ideas which now prevail in regard to fitting young men for a commercial life. It is shown in the School's latest report that there has been a stream of university graduates from the principal centres of learning passing into business through the one-year post-graduate course. The new attitude of business leaders is in striking contrast to the view so long held that the best and only efficient training ground for young men is in business itself.

Those who adhered to this viewpoint envisaged the boy fresh from school beginning at the lowest rung of the ladder and working his way up to the top. The university-trained young man was looked at askance, as one whose head was so full of theories as to leave little room for the ordinary hard facts of life. There can, of course, be no disputing the fact that there is great value in first-hand knowledge of business—that, in this sphere as in others, an ounce of practice is worth a ton of theory. But something more is needed, and that "something" can be summed up by saying that the better the general education of young men is, the more readily will he adapt himself to a business life, always assuming that he has a due share of character and intelligence. In other words, there must be specialised education as well as actual experience if the best results are to be obtained.

It is true that many instances can be quoted of men who have risen to high posts without the advantage of such education, but these have succeeded in spite of their educational shortcomings, and not because of them. This type of individual would, in any event, forge his way to the top, through sheer determination and an inherent capacity to adapt himself to changing conditions.

He is not, however, typical of the majority. With every passing year, business is becoming more complex, and the successful pursuit of it demands larger knowledge and wider outlooks. World competition is keener every day, and the Briton, whether he stays at home or goes overseas, is being constantly made aware of this fact. Nowhere is this competition more evident than in the Far East where business no longer falls into the lap of the man who sits

KEEP your DIARY Locked up!

Says
Margaret Lane



Mary Astor (left) talking to her friend, Ruth Chatterton, in court during the sensational lawsuit in Los Angeles.

is a dangerous amusement later, they usually manage to bite the hand that writes them.

I always regard with wonder anyone with the persistent personal faith to keep a diary. Diaries are born, not made, and I have never been able to keep one for more than two days

indefinite.

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ourselves at the time, and to other people, for other reasons,

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THE greatest scandal of the kind that was ever created was that which exploded in London with the publication of Harriette Wilson's memoirs.

Memoirs are not, properly speaking, a diary, but the notorious Harriette compiled horrid

memories of her life.

They were pure scandal, im-

plicating no lesser men than the

Marques of Worcester, Lord

Alvanley, Beau Brummell, the

3rd Duke of Leinster, and

the best diaries in the

world are those which were

kept secret, written without

a thought of publication.

The story is well known of

Samuel Pepys, his indiscretions

and Harriette's attempt to black-

and self-revealing as even Dr.

ROUND ABOUT by The Showman

I AM grateful to somebody—I have forgotten his name, and I am too lazy to look it up—who wrote an article this week, which hinted at a progressive world water shortage.

No addition to the way that this was hard to believe in Great Britain now that summer is here.

But he did envisage an arid world reduced to tapping the polar ice-caps for water, as Lowell suggested had been done on Mars with those disputed canals.

This is a conception to which the word "awful" may be properly applied. Thinking about it does you good, because, for once, you see the idiotic squabbles of nations in their right perspective.

Should we ever combine for happiness and self-preservation? Or—as seems probable now—will the Last Man be left shooting at his reflection in the Last Mirror with the Last Machine Gun?

EGGS OF HELL

I have been urged to continue my uncompleted novel, "Eggs of Hell," past the point where I left it because Captain Pullover, of the Secret Service, faced by five giant Chinese, with automates, had mislaid his machine-gun.

You may remember that a bomb in his breakfast egg had exploded, bringing down the ceiling, and that he and his wife called Lady Else, of dazzling beauty? Very well. Now read on:

Her Ladyship's Entrance

SUDDENLY a machine-gun began its devilish chatter behind Pullover, and the Chinese, mouthing curses, were stricken to the floor.

"What on earth . . . ?" he began. "Then there was a crash. And he knew no more.

When he recovered consciousness, his wife was bending over him and adjusting his smoking glasses so that her dazzling beauty would not blind him.

"You are add softy," he was. "The explosion threw your machine gun into my hands upstairs. There was no ceiling, so I saw the Chinese; and then—" she laughed deliciously.

"I just dropped in on you."

He, too, laughed, and drew her into a long embrace while the floor, also weakened by the explosion, began very slowly and very tenderly to give way beneath them.

Fairy Story

THE news was this. Francis Lederer had a surplus of cabbages on his farm near Hollywood, thirty thousand of them. So he began posting them off in sacks to everyone he knew.

And what do you think? They found unbroken cabbages, with a dear, little baby film-star. And now they are all howling their heads off because there aren't enough diamond-studded cabbages to go round.

Isn't that a pretty story, ducka?

Eden's Lament

A BALLAD, inspired by Sir Austen Chamberlain's rebuke to the Government for not saying clearly what it means. To be sung by Mr. Eden in a plaintive voice.

I hope, oh, I hope, oh, I hope
You WILL not confuse the poor
Cabinet:

I know that I hand out soft soap
With precious few facts you can
grab in it;
But please do not blame me—you
know how I try!

Or else, I assure you, I'll break down
and cry.

Now please don't, now please don't,
now PLEASE

Don't ask for a definite answer.

My light-rope sways so in a breeze,
And I'm such a daffid dancer.

It isn't a matter for cynical mirth,
I'd fall—and I DON'T want to come
down to earth!

Wags' Corner

The fat man and his wife were returning to their seats in the theatre after an interval.

"Did I tread on your toes as I went out?" he asked the man in a seat on the gangway.

"You did," the other replied grimly.

"It's all right, Mary," said the fat man, turning to his wife, "this is our row."

Thorpe's attorney could wish had the good grace to write his journals in code and to die before the immortal books

HONGKONG TEXTILES RAMP EXPOSURE

"Telegraph" Articles Cause Big Clean-Up In Philippine Islands: Textile Imports Crash**MANILA CUSTOMS AUTHORITIES CLOSE "OPEN DOOR"**

RE-EXPORT OF JAPANESE GOODS THROUGH COLONY CEASES FOLLOWING NEWSPAPER EXPOSE

"Telegraph" Special

Following the "Telegraph" exposure last June of the amazing textile ramp existing between Hongkong and the Philippines, the Manila Customs authorities have staged one of the biggest clean-ups in their history.

In a series of articles, which were reprinted in Manila newspapers, the "Telegraph" disclosed how unscrupulous merchants in Hongkong were defeating the "Gentlemen's Agreement" between the United States and Japan.

This agreement limited the quantity of Japanese textiles imported into the Philippine Islands to 42,000,000 linear yards per annum.

Hongkong merchants for a time defeated the agreement by importing Japanese textiles into this Colony, and re-exporting them to the Philippine Islands as "Hongkong Made" or "South China Made" goods.

An amazing series of frauds were unearthed.

The Japanese quota of 42,000,000 linear yards was filled in the first four months of the year, and direct exports from Japan to the Philippines were thereafter reduced to a minimum.

But, until the "Telegraph" exposure, exports from Hongkong to the Philippines continued at a merry pace.

In the first six months of this year, Hongkong exported a total of 35,406,303 linear yards of textiles to the Philippines, more than in the whole of any previous year.

That the greatest part of these Hongkong exports were of Japanese origin was conclusively proved by official statistics, which showed that Hongkong imports from Japan had increased in proportion to its exports to the Philippines.

It was estimated in one quarter that fully 80 per cent. of Hongkong's exports to the Philippines were of Japanese origin. Yet the greatest part of the textiles entering Manila from Hongkong entered the Philippines as goods "Made in Hongkong" or "Made in South China."

Investigations by the "Telegraph" disclosed that an amazing system of falsification was employed by several merchants in Hongkong in order to secure entry for these textiles into the Philippines without disclosing that they were of Japanese origin.

These methods included the cutting of Japanese brands and trade marks from the textiles when they were imported into Hongkong, and substituting Hongkong labels.

Another system was to open boxes or boxes of Japanese goods, take out the top layers and substitute genuine Hongkong or Chinese textiles. Only a cursory examination of the top layers was made by Philippines customs officials.

A third method that attained some popularity before the "Telegraph" disclosures was to enter goods without a consular declaration, paying a 100 pesos bond that the declaration would be delivered before a specified time. Non-delivery of the declaration meant only forfeiture of the 100 pesos bond, which represented an infinitesimal value of the goods that passed the customs before the bond became forfeited.

Following publication of the "Telegraph" articles, the customs authorities in the Philippines have taken stringent measures to prevent Japanese textiles from entering via Hongkong.

CAREFULLY CHECKED

Each consignment is carefully checked to prevent substitution of Hongkong labels for Japanese, and instead of the cursory examination of boxes or boxes formerly made, a strict examination of the entire contents of packages of textiles imported from Hongkong is made.

The Philippines authorities now refuse to accept a monetary bond in lieu of consular declarations regarding the quality of origin of textiles, and insist that before delivery is made the consular declaration be forthcoming.

As a result of the more stringent measures adopted in the Philippines to prevent fraud, Hongkong imports of textiles from Japan, and export of textiles to the Philippines dropped in remarkable fashion in July and August.

DOWN TO HALF

Exact figures for August are not yet available, but official statistics show that imports from Japan during the month of July were only 5,326,478 linear yards, as compared with an average of more than 10,000,000

HUSBAND
WIFE
DAUGHTER—

--TOTAL
170 YEARS
IN EAST

HONGKONG FAMILY
HAS UNIQUE
RECORD

THIRTY-SIX continuous
years in Hongkong is
bad enough, but 69 years in
the Far East—it just isn't
done.

What's the use of retired
majors and taipans sipping
whiskies and sodas in a West
End Club and telling about the
20 years they spent in the
damnedest climate in the world
when, damme, William J.
Edwards naively admits to a
residence that goes back to 1867.

Even when, bold and healthy at
men's allotted span of three score
years and ten, he decides it's time
to retire, he won't do the thing
decently by going Home to a little
cottage in the country. No, sir!

"Go Home and be miserable in
that climate," he says scornfully.
"Not me, I'm going to retire to
Shanghai!"

But that's Hongkong for you.
People get that way after a few
years. Won't admit that the climate
isn't fit for a man to live in, or that
anyone who stays over fifteen years
has one foot in the grave.

Countless letters to Editors have
lashed at Hongkong's climate. Every
tourist who visits us in the summer
has something to say about it. And even the loyalist who
defends us against all traducers becomes silent when "climate" is the
subject. "Climate" is always a subject a Hongkong Journalist can fall
back upon when he's hard up for
copy.

Therefore, Mr. Edwards had no
right to tell me that he's lived in
the Far East for 60 years, in Hong-
kong for 30 years. It was rubbing it
in to add that his wife, daughter and he
can tot up 176 years residence in
Cathay between them, and that neither of them are thinking of leaving
for many years to come.

WIFE HOLDS RECORD

His wife, in fact, can claim exactly
one month's longer residence in
the Far East than can Mr. Edwards.
She was born in Shanghai a
month before I was born, up the
Yangtze River, in August, 1867," he
told me with a chuckle.

Few Europeans ventured up the
famous inland waters of China in
these days. Therefore, it comes as
no surprise to know that Mr. Edwards
was the first European baby
born up the Yangtze.

In fact, Mr. Edwards can lay
several claims to distinctions as
equally newsworthy as the fact
that he was the first white baby
born up the Yangtze.

He was one of the first boys to
attend the St. Francis Xavier's College
in Shanghai, which was opened
six years after his parents took him
to Shanghai in 1870.

FIRST TRAIN IN CHINA

He rode in the first train ever to
run on rails on Chinese soil. That
was in 1876, when the Chinese Empire,
with great pomp and ceremony,
inaugurated a railway service from
Shanghai to Woosung.

"The railway wasn't too successful," Mr. Edwards told me, with a
reminiscent smile. "The boat
people plying along the river did not
like this new competition on land.
So they bribed the country people to
lie across the steel rails. Either the
train—they had two engines, the
"Celestial Empire" and the "Far
Cathy"—had to stop or run over
the protesters. In any case, there
was usually a thumping big claim
for damages from someone."

MET PRESIDENT GRANT

One of Mr. Edwards' earliest
recollections is that of meeting
General—afterwards U.S. Pre-
sident—Grant, when he visited
China in 1870.

General Grant was introduced to
Edwards Senior, who in turn intro-
duced his nine year old son. One
of young Edwards' proudest re-
collections was that General Grant
gravely shook hands with him a
"find lad!"

Mr. Edwards first visited Hong-
kong in 1881, and came to live here
in 1880.

From 1892 to 1916 he served with
Jardine Matheson's floating staff in
various Indo China Navigation Com-
pany steamers, and was a pictures-
que figure along the China coast.

During the Great War he served
in the Transport Fleet, and was
demobbed in Hongkong six months
before the ship foundered with all
hands off the Paravels in 1920.

Mr. Edwards joined Messrs. W. S.
Bailey & Co. after the Great War,
served on the well-known ship-
yard's staff until 1927, when the call

MALARIA FEARS ALLAYED

**FEVER INCIDENCE IS
ALMOST NORMAL:
FEAR UNWARRANTED**

As a result of investigations, the "Telegraph" is able to allay fears, recently expressed, regarding the incidence of malaria in this Colony.

Although recent official statistics are not available, the "Telegraph" learns from a reliable source that the incidence of malaria in this Colony is no greater than usual.

Latest available statistics conclusively disclose that the whole of Hongkong is a comparatively malaria-free Colony when compared with Malaya, Ceylon and other tropical centres.

Official statistics to the end of 1934 show that the number of admissions to Government hospitals has decreased by 66 per cent. during the past decade. In 1925 there were 1,142 admissions; in 1934 only 457. With the exception of 1932, the 1934 figure is the lowest in the history of the Colony.

Statistics for 1935 are not yet available to the Press, but the "Telegraph" is informed from a reliable source that the incidence for this year is approximately that for 1934.

During the first six months of the current year 280 cases were admitted to Government hospitals. This, on the surface, would lead one to believe that the incidence for the whole year will be higher than usual. Such, however, is not the case, as the incidence is much higher during the summer or "rainy" months, than during the winter.

No Europeans have fully contracted malaria, and the percentage of Chinese fatalities is comparatively low.

URBAN AREAS CLEAR

Efficient drainage methods have ended malaria as far as the urban districts of Hongkong are concerned, and it persists only in certain parts of the New Territories and in some of the outer suburbs.

The ever-increasing number of cases each year reflects the excellent work that has been done by the Medical and Sanitary Departments in Hongkong to eradicate malaria.

In the early days malaria was the chief cause of sickness and death in Victoria and, in 1844, coincident with the breaking of the soil for the formation of Queen's Road, which was then the chief arterial road of the city, it became such a scourge that there were serious thoughts of abandoning the entire island.

The graveyard at Stanley, where the first settlement was made, is an indication of the terrible toll taken by malaria last century. Nearly all of the inmates of this cemetery died from malaria.

Available statistics show that as recently as 1910, the number of

of the sea took him to the engineering rooms of several West River ships. He retired in 1934.

IN JAPANESE NAVY

A half-century at sea in the Far East has included service with both the Chinese and Japanese navies and to-day Mr. Edwards' most vivid impressions of the changes that have taken place during his life-time has been the decline of the Chinese navy, the unprecedented rise of the modern Japanese fleet.

"I have watched the Chinese Navy, as fine a fleet as you could wish for when Admiral McClure was its chief, decline to nothing, and the Japanese Navy, which consisted of a few small vessels when I served in it, rise from nothing to a world power," he told me.

Incidentally, Admiral McClure was at one time a "skipper" in the Indian China Steam Navigation Company's fleet. He succeeded in command of the Chinese Navy another old-timer, Hongkong resident, Admiral "Chinese" Lung, whose son, Lt. Cdr. Lung, only recently retired from this Colony. The decadence of the Chinese fleet starts from the date of Admiral Lung's retirement.

HELPED FOUND K.C.C.

It is interesting to note that Mr. Edwards was, with Dr. Swann, Capt. T. W. Selby and Mr. J. P. Robinson, one of the original founders of the Kowloon Cricket Club, which started in 1922 with a few second-hand bats borrowed from the Island club. He was also one of the founders of the Kowloon Junior Golf Club.

The Far Eastern history of Mr. Edwards' family actually dates back to the end of the Fifties, when his father went to Shanghai from India. His mother arrived in 1865, the trip from London to Shanghai occupying six months!

Mrs. Edwards, who was also born in Shanghai, is the eldest daughter of the late Alfred Silverthorne, who spent many years in the Far East. Mrs. Edwards, like her husband, has spent all but two years in Shanghai and Hongkong.

An only daughter is the wife of Mr. Claude Glover, well known in Hongkong as the skipper of the Shanghai Interport Bowls Team which has taken Interport honours to the northern city on three occasions. Mrs. Glover left Hongkong 14 years ago, and is resided in Shanghai since.

Mr. Edwards, on retirement this month, will join his daughter and son-in-law in Shanghai, and will reside in the northern city for some years before going Home.

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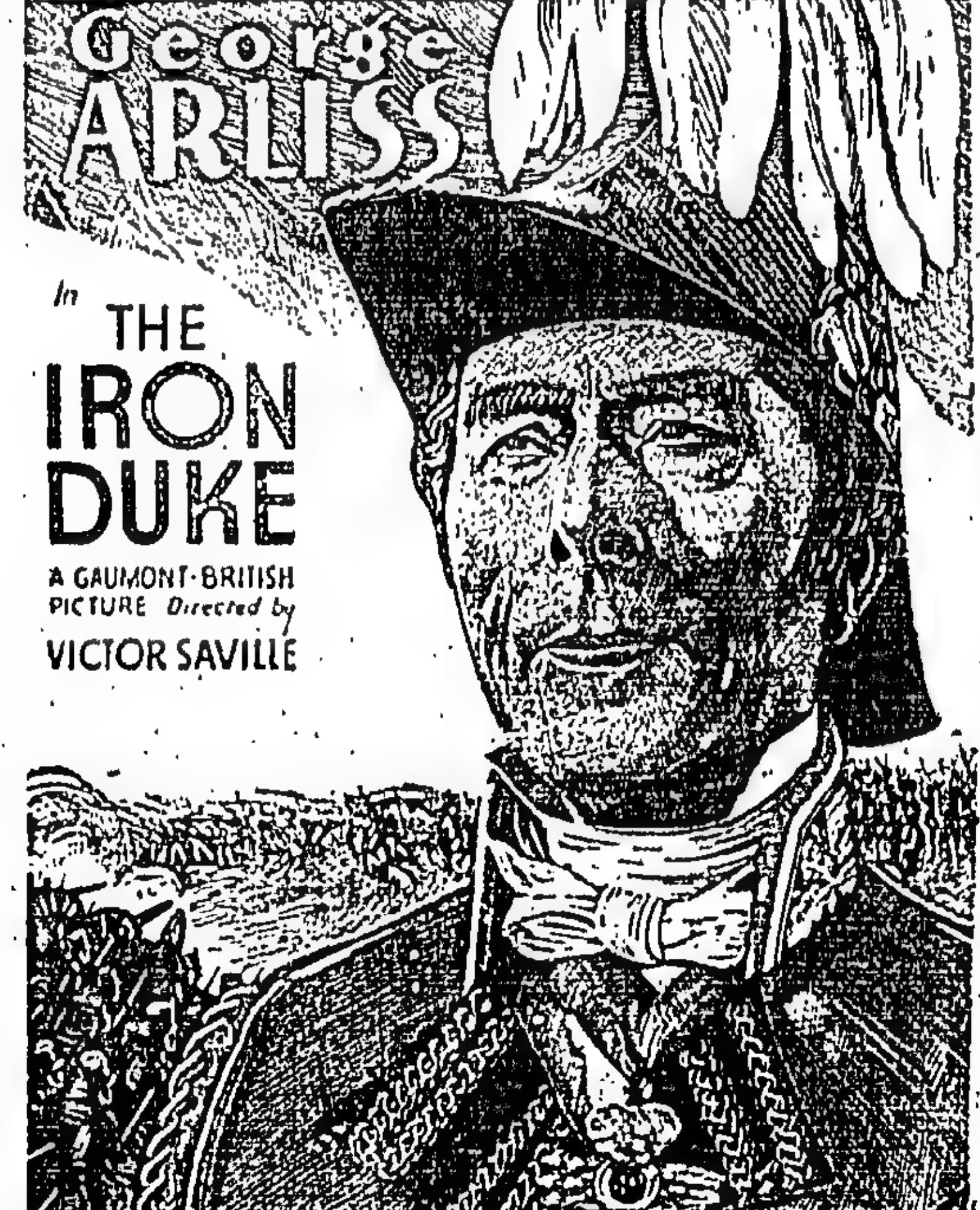
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Gypsy Love — Waltz Melodies (Lehar); Moonlight on the Danube (Wallz (Gay), 5. Song—Kathleen Mavourneen (Crouch). 8.35 p.m. "Quartet in F Major" (Mozart) played by The Budapest String Quartet. 9 p.m. News and announcements from London. 9.30 p.m. Turner Layton (Vocal), Ivor Moreton and Dave Kaye on Two Pianos. 1. Instrumental—Fox-Trot Medley. 2. Song—I'm a fool for loving you, Au Revoir. 3. Instrumental—Quickstep Medley. 4. Song—Love Everlasting (Friml), 4. Orchestra—

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PERRY SWEEPS THROUGH INTO THE SEMI-FINALS

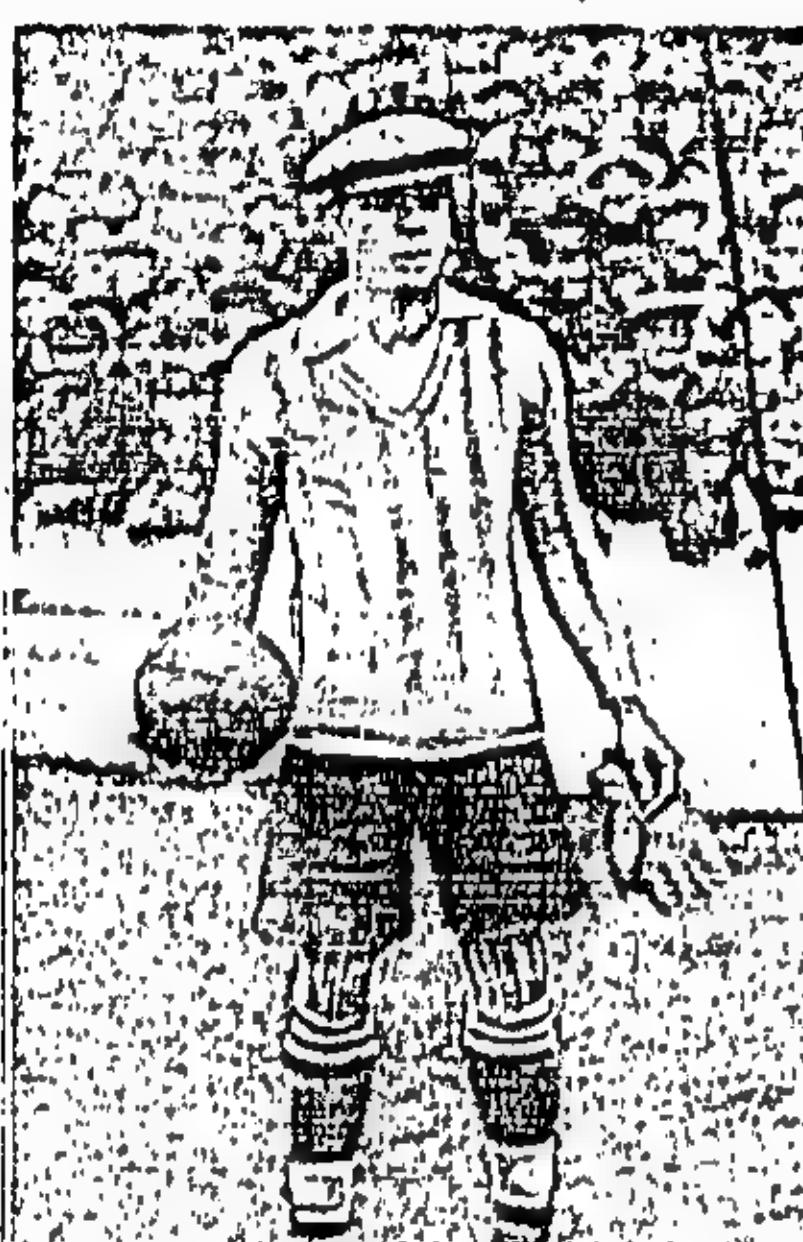
Clubhouse Chatto

"No Interport" Verdict By Shanghai Is Big Disappointment

CATHOLIC UNION CLUB FINDS BILLIARDS RELIC

DISAPPOINTING indeed in the news, published exclusively elsewhere in this paper to-day, that Shanghai cannot send a tennis Interport team here this year. The reason is inability of players to get time off from their duties. It is an old trouble, experienced just as much by Hongkong as Shanghai. For two years (1932 and 1934) Hongkong endeavoured to send a team up north for a return match, when the Colony was the only billiards player in Hongkong, and the shield inscribed "H.K. Billiard Association Shield presented by the Victoria Recreation Club by 1924." It was won in that, the first, year by Catholic Union Club and has not been competed for since. The C.U.C. has to keep it, but would rather revive the purpose for which the shield was given. There are still 16 silver name plates on the shield waiting to be filled. Incidentally the go-ahead C.U.C. has recently had a table re-elothed much to the pleasure and benefit of the members.

Association's Chance
THIS from a correspondent: "You may be interested to know that the Catholic Union Club, of which A. J. Osmund, Colony billiards champion is a member, and which institution now holds the trophies for every important billiards and snooker competition in the Colony, still holds as a duty relief of the inactivity of Hongkong billiards players the shield inscribed 'H.K. Billiard Association Shield presented by the Victoria Recreation Club by 1924.' It was won in that, the first, year by Catholic Union Club and has not been competed for since. The C.U.C. has to keep it, but would rather revive the purpose for which the shield was given. There are still 16 silver name plates on the shield waiting to be filled. Incidentally the go-ahead C.U.C. has recently had a table re-elothed much to the pleasure and benefit of the members."



Ricardo Zamora, the most famous sportsman in Spain and one of the best goalkeepers who has ever played on a football ground, was recently killed during one of the street fights in Barcelona.

HERE seems to be a good opportunity for the Hongkong Billiards Association, which so successfully organised Colony championships this year. Clearly there is room for another Inter-club billiards competition in Hongkong, whether it be on a knock-out or league system. Equally clear is it that no trophy which has been presented for a specific purpose should be allowed to rest in dusty idleness if there is a competent body such as the H.K. Billiards Association to administer a competition for the shield. The best thing would be for the Catholic Union Club to approach the Billiards Association with a view to organising this coming winter competition among clubs and thus bring back into active use a very handsome shield.

HOME FOOTBALL

SUNDERLAND HIT THE GROUND AT DERBY CRUSHING 3-NIL DEFEAT MOTHERWELL DEFEATED ON THEIR OWN GROUND

London, Sept. 9.
Sunderland, the league champions, suffered a shocking setback to-day when they visited Derby County and were beaten by three clear goals.

Arsenal once again indicated their lack of scoring powers by being held

to a 1-1 draw with Brentford at Highbury, while Manchester City pleased their supporters by defeating Huddersfield.

There were two big surprises in the Scottish League. Motherwell, playing before their own supporters, lost by three goals to one to Hearts, while Rangers, visiting Third Lanark, could only share the points in a goalless draw.

The complete results are cabled by Reuter follow.

FIRST DIVISION

Arsenal	1	Brentford
Birmingham	1	West Bromwich
Derby C.	3	Sunderland
Liverpool	1	Manchester C.
Liverpool	0	Portsmouth
Manchester U.3	3	Huddersfield
Middlesb'ro	1	Wolves

SECOND DIVISION

Bradford	1	Leicester
Bury	2	Barnsley
Newcastle	5	West Ham
Norwich	2	Chesterfield
Plymouth	4	Bradford C.

THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH)

Aldershot	0	Northampton
Gillingham	1	Bournemouth
Torquay	0	Exeter
Watford	1	Southend

THIRD DIVISION (NORTH)

Darlington	1	Wrexham
Mansfield	6	Rochdale

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

Aberdeen	1	Aberdeen
Colts	3	Clyde
Dunfermline	4	Hamilton
Dunoon	2	Kilmarnock

Hibernian	1	Albion
Motherwell	1	Hearts
Third Lanark	0	Rangers

LEAGUE TABLE

	P.	W.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
C.R.C. (1)	6	5	0	28	8	10
Recreio	6	5	1	30	18	10
K.C.C.	7	5	2	37½	25½	12
I.R.C.	6	4	2	28	20	10
H.K.C.C.	7	3	4	28½	37½	6
S.C.A.A.	6	1	4	10½	22½	2
U.S.R.C.	6	1	5	18	15	2
C.R.C. (2)	6	0	0	11½	33½	0

Details of the match and the revised league table follow.

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How Hongkong Lawn Bowls Team Won KEEN STRUGGLE IN FIRST SHANGAI MATCH

Shanghai, Sept. 8.—THE Hongkong Interport Lawn Bowls team won their first match yesterday against the Shanghai Recreation Club, on the latter's green, by twenty-four shots to twenty-one, after a very hard fight. The green was very fast but in splendid condition, drawing well on either hand but the gusty wind made bowling a bit tricky. A novel innovation was the new score board, modelled on the style of the cricket board, and the Recs seem to have at last got a board that is really successful, easily seen from all parts and easily understood. There was a large crowd present in the latter stages of the game, and whilst the bowling was not of a very high order, they witnessed a keen struggle. The Recs entertained the visitors at the conclusion of the match in their club house.

Making due allowances for the fact that the Colony team have not quite settled down yet and were playing on a green that was much faster than anything they are used to in Hongkong, Shanghai should win the Inter-port series.

THE MATCH

For their match against the Recs the Colony were represented by A. Hyde-Lay (skip), H. A. Alves (No. 3), J. E. McGowan (No. 2), A. E. Coates (lead). The Recs four were L. Bell (skip); R. J. S. Brandt (No. 3), A. J. Willis (No. 2), J. R. Main (lead). Hongkong won the toss and Coates had a short end but Jim Main beat him in the draw. The end went to the visitors with a two, Alves and Hyde-Lay's wooda counting. The Recs replied with a three at the next and took the third with a single but their opponents came back with a good four at the next end, Bell falling to save.

The fifth end also went to the Colony with a single, Alves knocking in Coates' wood for the shot, score 7-4 in their favour. They also took the 6th, 7th and 8th ends with two two's and a single. At this stage Hongkong had the upper hand, and the Recs four with the exception of Jim Main were putting up a very poor show.

At the 9th the Recs were lying three, when Alves came up with a fast one and burnt the end. On the replay McGowan drew the shot with his second, Brandt carried Jack for shot, Alves displaced him, Hyde-Lay got the shot with a wide off, Bell came up with weight on and gave the Recs a single. The 10th was a very poor end; nearly all the woods were short but the Recs had the best of a bad lot to get a useful four. Hyde-Lay failing to save under very difficult conditions with so many short woods in front, the score standing at 12-9 in favour of the visitors.

The 11th went to Hongkong, Brandt knocking the Jack on to their wood for a single. The teams then stopped for the tea interval. On resumption Hongkong got a two at the 12th, Bell giving them one. The Recs then took the next two ends with a single and two and the 15th went to Hongkong with a two, giving them a lead of 17-12.

At the 16th Hyde-Lay in trying to save the end with several shots against him was unlucky enough to knock the Jack on to the Recs' wood and the latter got a useful five, which brought the score all square at seventeen. Things now began to look interesting and the Recs' chances hopeful but it was their last flutter. They failed badly in the next three ends, whilst Hongkong took with a two, a single and a four, their skip and Alves being mainly responsible. The last end went to the Recs with a single, and with only one shot against them Hongkong with the match in hand refused to take any risks.

DISAPPOINTING FORM

It had been a keen struggle, if a disappointing one in many ways, Hongkong hardly lived up to the form that was expected of them and the Recs, with the exception of J. R. Main and A. J. Willis, gave a very mediocre display. Main surprised everyone by his form, he had Coates

WORLD'S HEAVYWEIGHT CHAMPIONSHIP IN LONDON DURING CORONATION WEEK

(By Connery Chappell)

Negotiations are proceeding for the world's heavy-weight championship to be fought in London during Coronation Week.

Mr. Clifford Whitley, theatrical and cabaret impresario, told me that, after talking twice to New York on the 'phone, his plane were nearing completion.

Associated with him is Mr. Bob Ritchie, the American film and theatre man responsible for a number of big Hollywood deals.

"We are getting options on both Schmeling and Braddock to fight," Mr. Whitley said.

The actual fighters will depend, of course, on the result of the meeting between Braddock and Schmeling in America this autumn.

The American managers of both fighters are keen.

"The fight will be arranged for an open-air stadium."

THE ST. LEGER Won By Boswell At Twenty To One

MAHMOUD THIRD

London, Sept. 9.—The following was the result of the St. Leger:

Hoswell (Jones), 20 to 1 1
Fearless Fox (E. Smith), 100 to 6 2
Mahmoud (Smirke), 5 to 1 3

Thirteen ran.

The race was won by three quarters of a length with three lengths between second and third.

Other starters were:

Rhodes Scholar (Dick): Fox Field (Weston); Pizarro (Vergerette); Magnet (Gordon Richards); Rueburn (Burns); Columelle (Sam Wragg); His Grace (Harry Wragg); Hauflryn (Lane); Esquemeling (Bezant); Thankerton (Henry).

The scratching of Plaster Cast was announced yesterday.

COURSE OF THE ACE

London, Sept. 9.—Boswell jumped off in front of Mahmoud, Esquemeling, Fearless Fox, and His Grace followed with Rhodes Scholar last.

At the half-mile Esquemeling led from the front of the field, Pizarro, Boswell and Fearless Fox.

Half-way the leaders were Pizarro, Foxfield, Fearless Fox and Esquemeling, Boswell, Rueburn, with His Grace last.

Entering the straight, Pizarro was still leading from Fearless Fox, Boswell and Mahmoud.

Below the distance, Boswell was slightly in front, with Fearless Fox, Mahmoud, Thankerton, and Magnet close behind. When near home, Boswell drew out and holding off Fearless Fox went on to win cleverly.

The order of finishing was, after the first three, Magnet, Thankerton, Esquemeling, Columelle, Pizarro, His Grace, Rhodes Scholar, Foxfield, Hauflryn and Rueburn.

Time: 3 min. 8³ sec.—Reuter.

INTERPORT BOWLS

First Match Postponed On Account Of Rain

Shanghai, Sept. 9.—The first Interport Bowls match between Shanghai and Hongkong in the present series, scheduled to be played on the Police green at Hongkong Park to-day, was postponed owing to rain.—Reuter.

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H. H. Ho and A. M. M. M. M. (I.I.C.C.)	12	2	3
P. Gross and A. E. P. Guest (K.C.C.)	9	5	4 0
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W. H. Ho and K. H. Wong (B.C.A.A.)	9	4	4 1
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F. Gross and S. A. Gray (K.C.C.)	12	5	4 0
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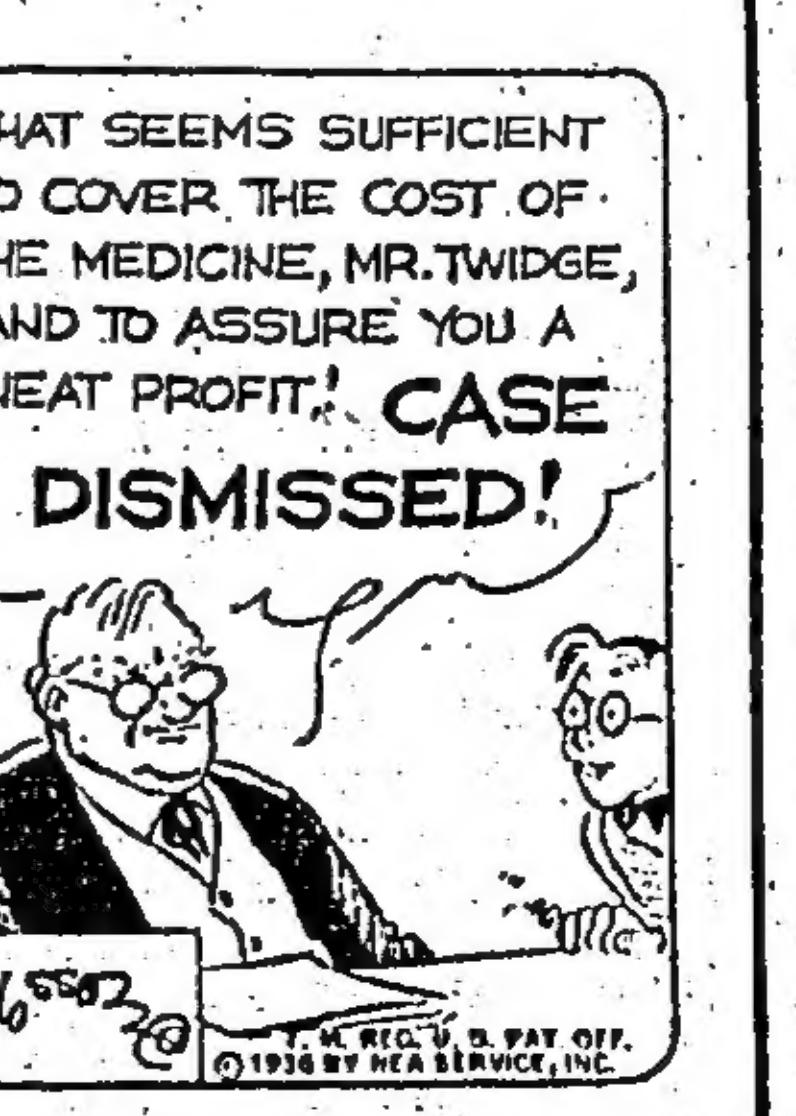
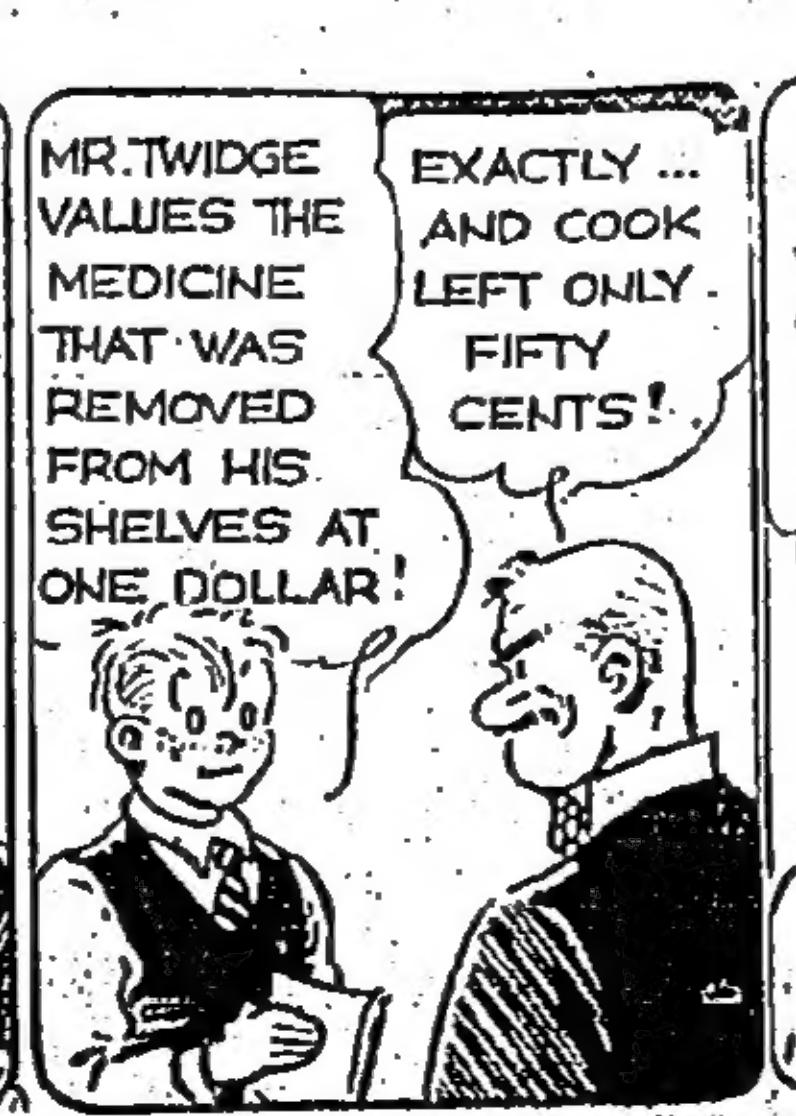
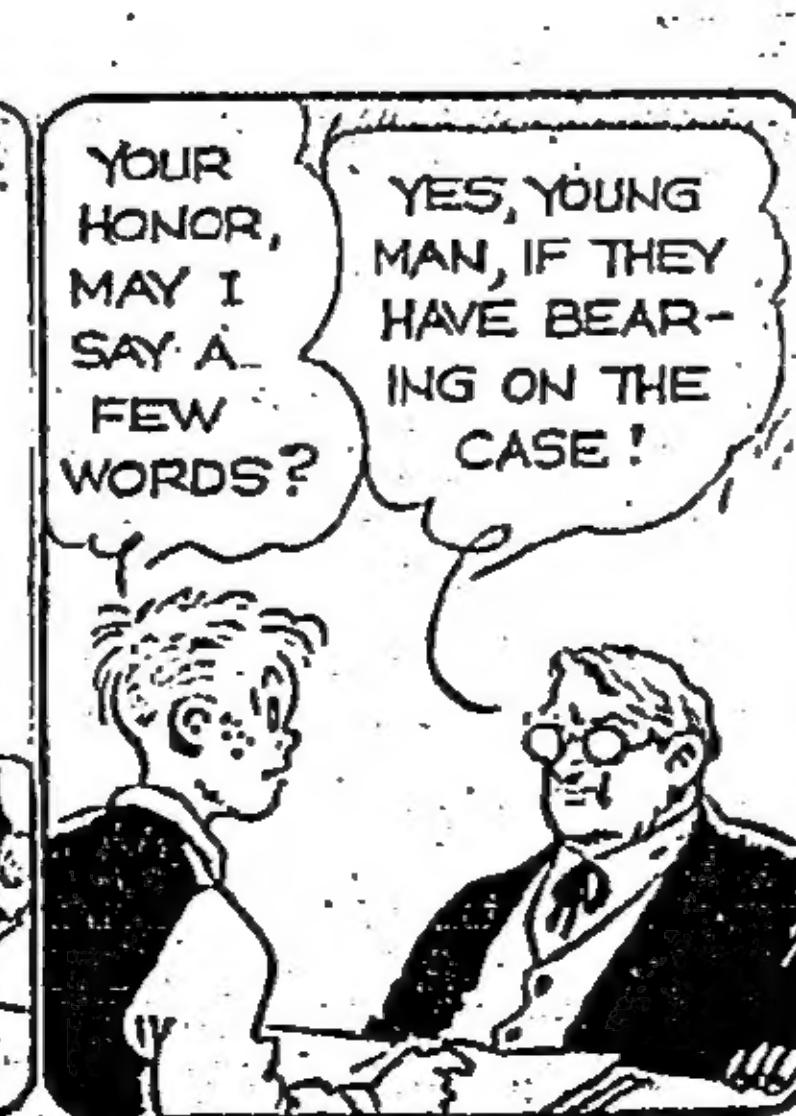
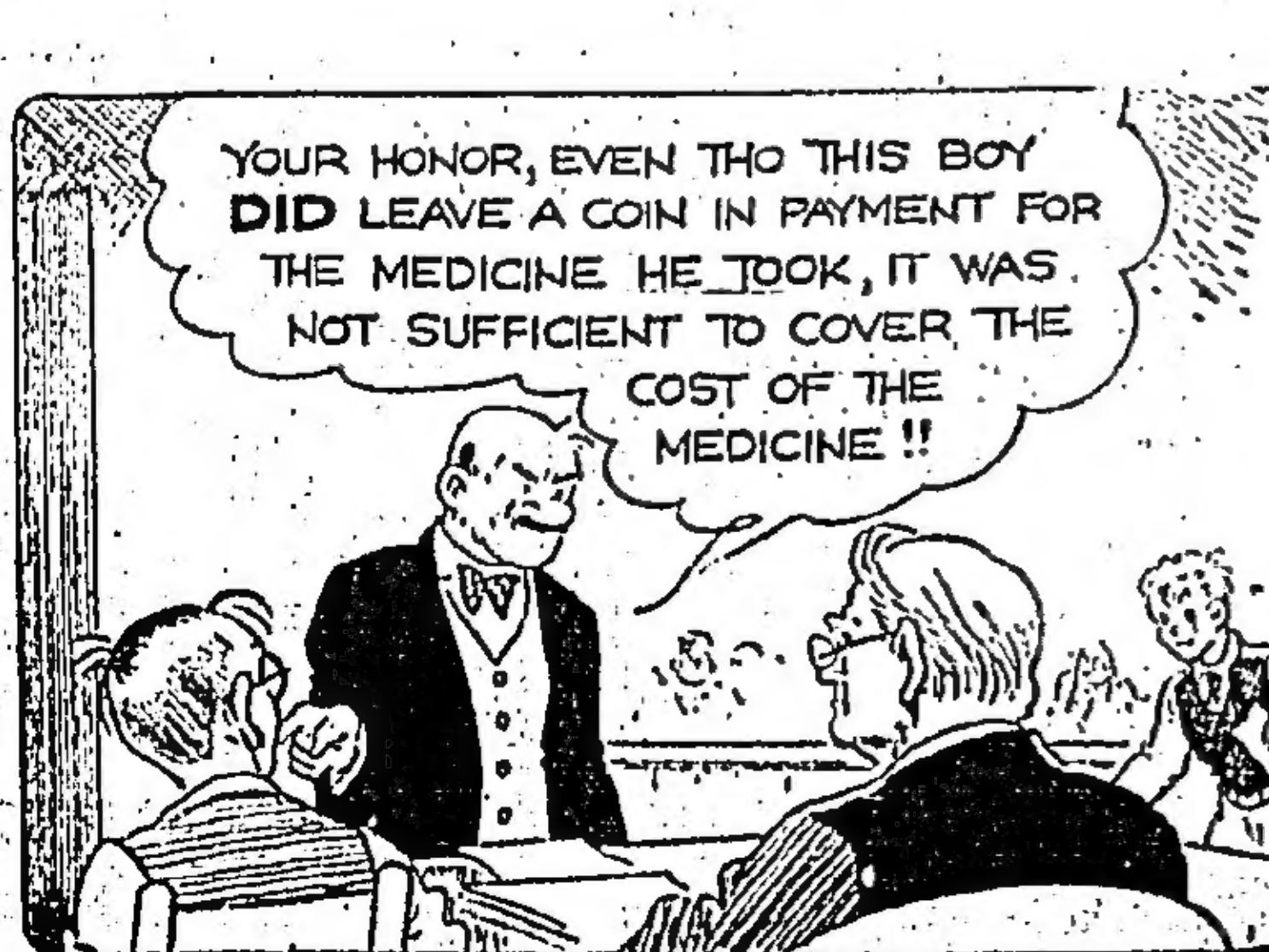
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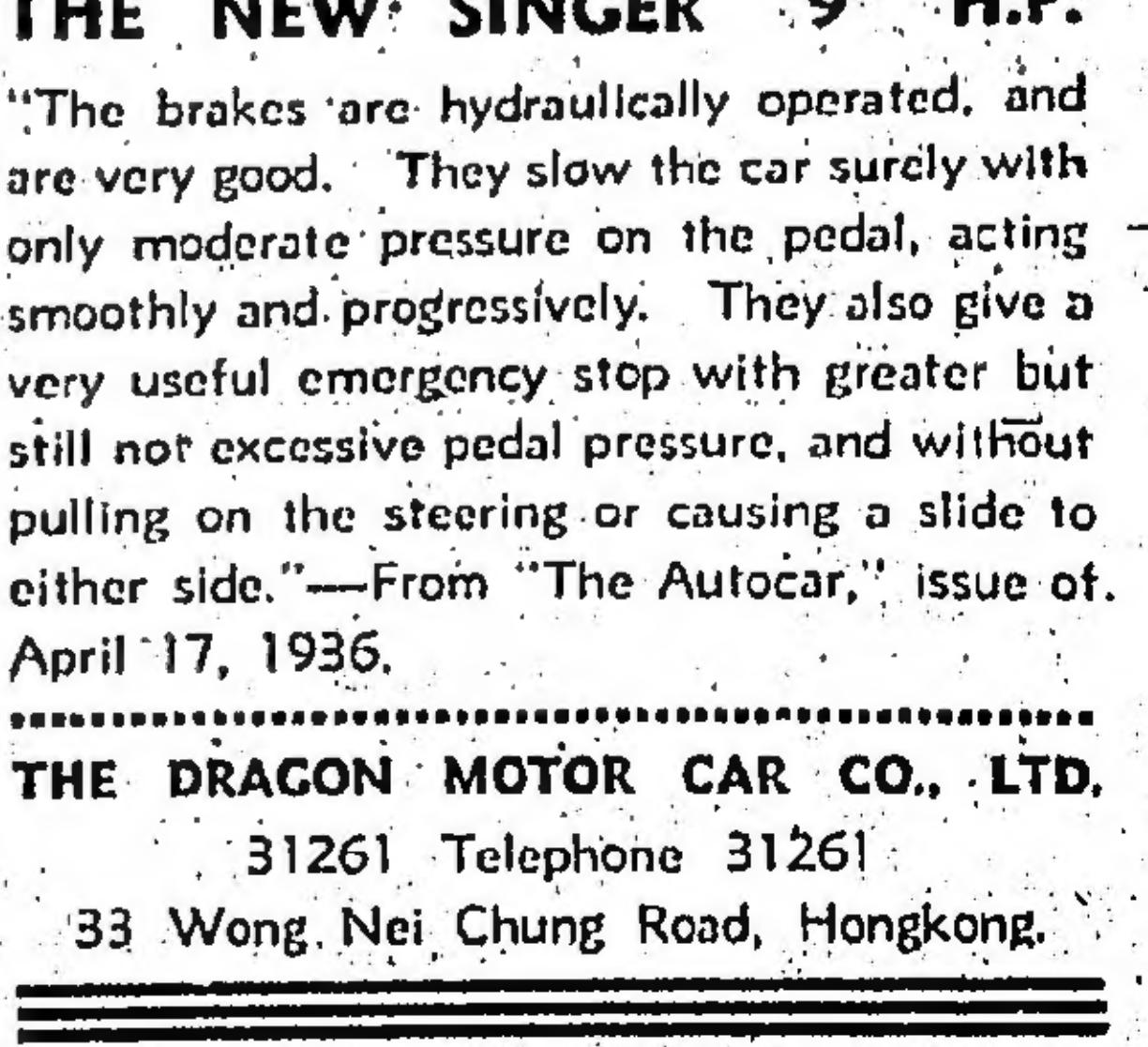
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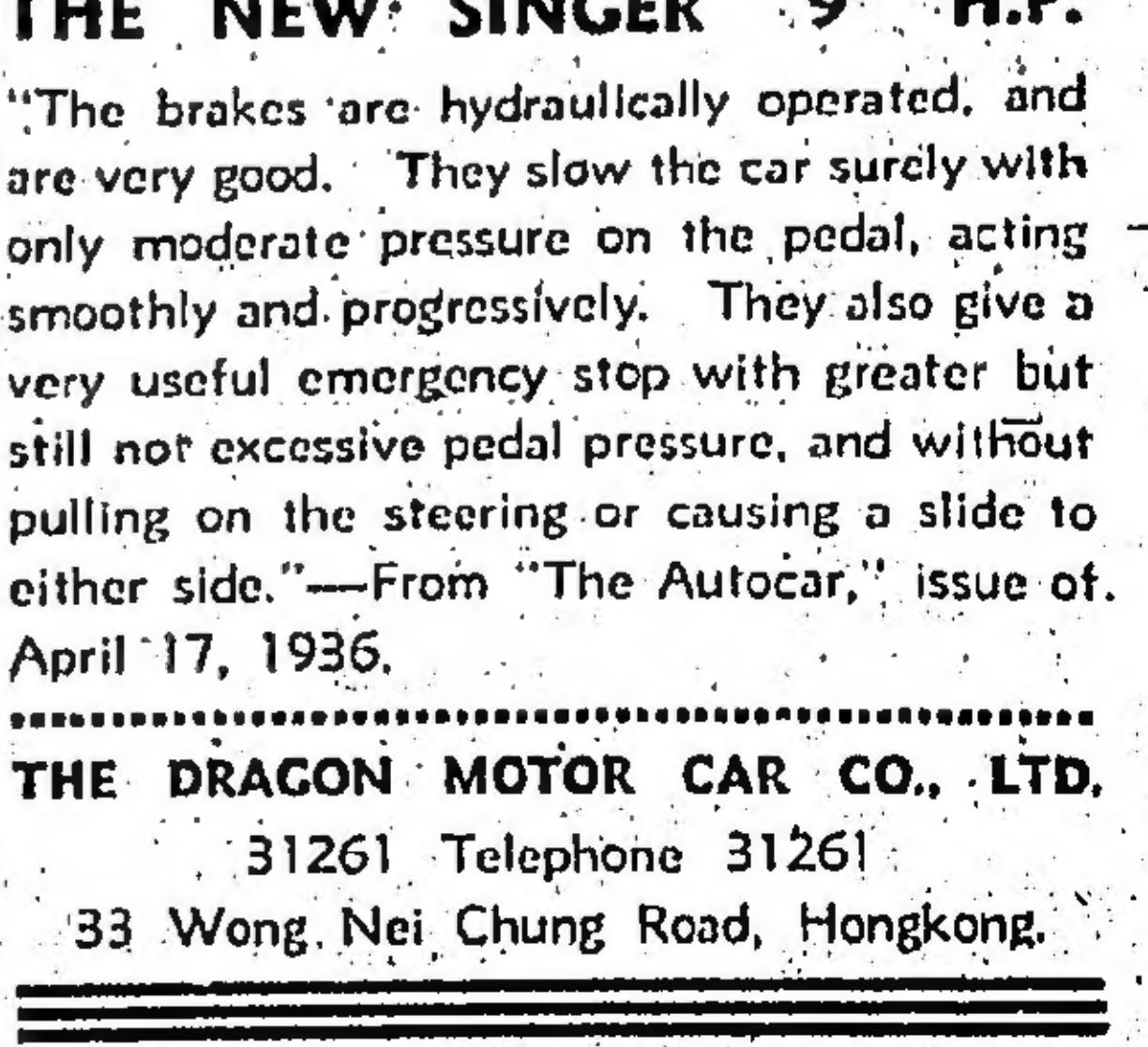
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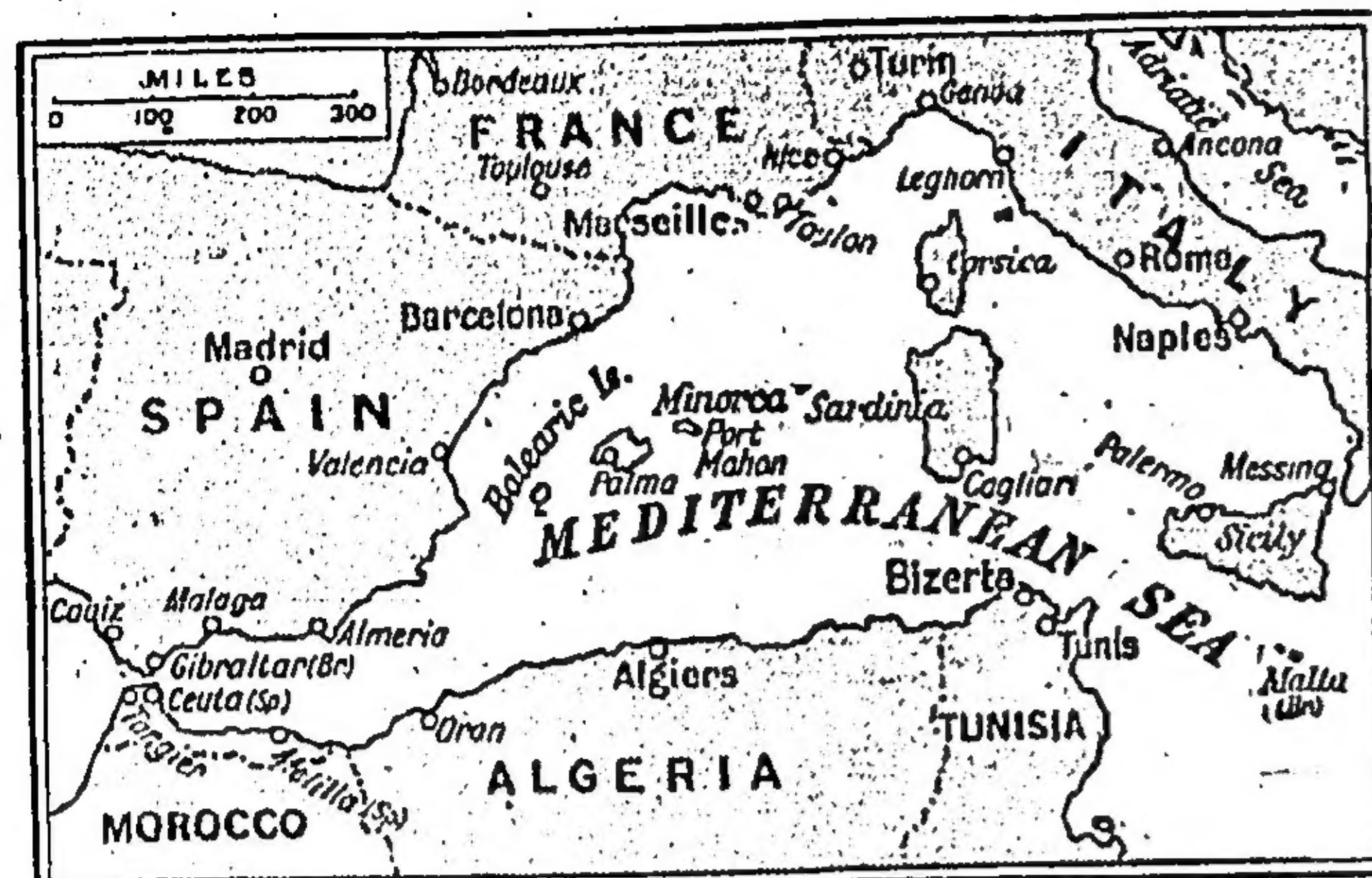


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What SPAIN'S WAR means to BRITAIN

by LORD STRABOLGI

(Formerly on the Admiralty War Staff in London
and Assistant Chief of Staff at Gibraltar).



EVERY decent man in this country must wish not only that the legally constituted Government in Spain will triumph, but that the rebellion and its aftermath will not lead to international complications and the breaking of the peace elsewhere.

A section of those who normally support Toryism in this country is showing open sympathy for the rebel Generals and their dupes.

Do our self-styled patriots understand what they are risking by their moral support of the Spanish rebels?

If their hopes are fulfilled, and a Fascist Government wins control in Spain, the strategic position of the British Empire will be weakened to an almost incalculable extent.

The British Empire contains most of the desirable territories in the world suitable for capitalist exploitation, and Fascism will desire to devour these rich prizes.

leader by Nazi Germany. The commander of the most powerful unit in the rapidly expanding German fleet actually called on General Franco at Ceuta.

These are days of Power Politics, whether we like it or not.

Let us consider the power that would lie behind the next German demand for satisfaction, either at our expense or at the expense of the League and the Peace of Europe, with Spain practically an Italo-German Protectorate.

With a hostile Spain, Gibraltar is untenable as a naval base. With the increase in the range of modern artillery, the harbour in Gibraltar Bay, on the west side of the Rock, can be dominated by cannon mounted on the ring of hills in the Spanish hinterland.

This danger was recognised some years ago. There was a proposal to make an additional harbour on the east side of the Rock. It was not proceeded with for a number of reasons, one of these being the realisation that, with the ever-increasing range of modern guns, such a harbour, in its turn, could be dominated by guns mounted on the Spanish coast to the north and

north-east of Gibraltar. The fortress itself could stand a siege; but its harbour would be useless for refuelling or repairing our warships.

The Fascist Confederation would control the fortress and harbour of Ceuta, on the south side of the Straits of Gibraltar and its hinterland. Ceuta is a natural fortress second only to "the Rock." We could not make an attack on Ceuta without organising a great expedition.

The Fascists would, in effect, control both sides of the Straits of Gibraltar, the western exit of the Mediterranean.

We already know that Malta is vulnerable to air attack because of its situation at short flying distance from the Italian aerodromes. The British Fleet, therefore, in time of war, would be without a foothold in the Western Mediterranean except by the good grace of France.

Furthermore, if, as has been

freely reported, the Italians have been promised the use of the Balearic Islands by the Spanish rebels, they would have, as an additional base, the Island of Minorca, including the first-class natural harbour of Port Mahon.

This was once a British base in the Mediterranean. Admiral Byng was shot on his own quarter-deck by order of a court-martial for failure to relieve it when it was besieged by the French.

Although we could, by arrangement with France, use Bizerte or other harbours on the French North African coast and Toulon in the South of France, the communications would be difficult.

Furthermore, the magnificent Spanish harbours of Vigo and Villa Garcia in the North of Spain and Cadiz in the south, both on the Atlantic seaboard, would be available as bases for German or Italian cruisers and submarines in case of war.

Again, it must be remembered that Italy has established an "Empire" in North-East Africa, with a potential threat to our Red Sea trade route to India. We can assume with certainty that in the event of such a war, or even the threat of such a war, we could not dispatch a large fleet to the Pacific in case of need. And who would guarantee that Japan would not join such a Confederacy?

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French national defence is directed towards safeguarding her north-eastern frontiers against a possible German threat. A Fascist Spain would cause France to detach an army to guard the Pyrenees and to erect fortifications on the Franco-Spanish frontier. With an enemy based on the Balearic Islands and the Spanish Mediterranean ports, the passage of troops from Algeria to the South of France to reinforce the Metropolitan armies would be difficult.

During part of the Great War I was on the Staff at Gibraltar and had knowledge of what was going on in Spain.

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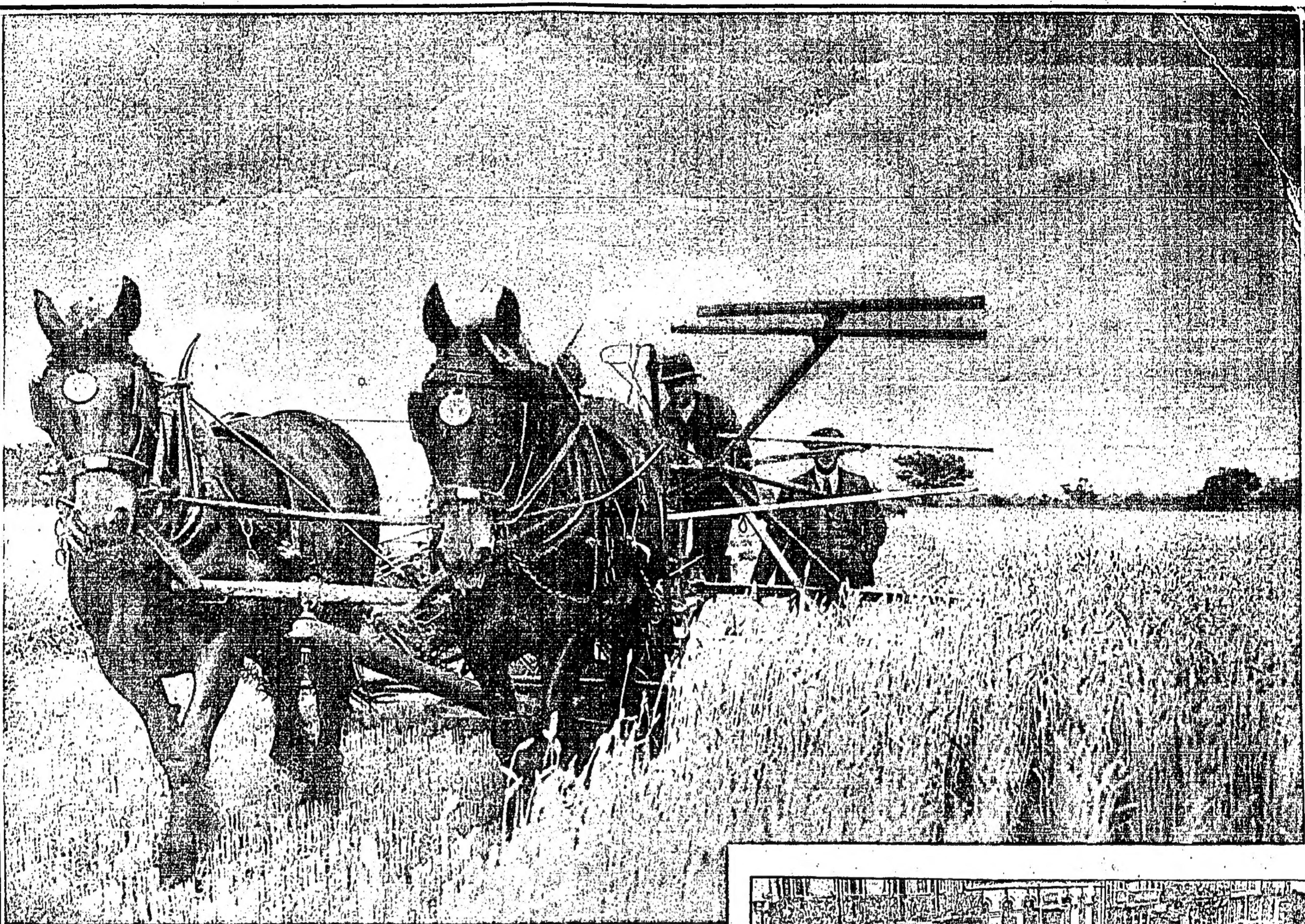
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PHOTONEWS

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HAPPENINGS
AS SEEN BY
THE CAMERA'S EYE

REAPING THE GOLDEN GRAIN



HARVEST—the very word stirs the hearts of townsmen and countrymen alike—has started in earnest, only a fortnight later than last year. Here, at West Thurrock, Essex, 18 miles from London, the rattle of the reaping machine echoes of the wheat-fields. Despite this summer's dismal weather, local opinion prophesies an excellent crop.



MARY ELLIS, the stage and screen actress, examining a model scene of the new play, "Farewell Performance." She started rehearsals in London recently under the direction of Irene Henischel.



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dence of the fierce
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AT OLYMPIC GAMES—A spectator who determined to "see the thing through," whatever the weather, wrapped in a paper rain-proof cap. Left: An exciting bout between Silvana Abba (Italy) (with back to camera) and Georg von Bölsman (Sweden), when competing in the Modern Pentathlon.

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Murdered Hostages Identified

BODIES EXHUMED AT IRUN

NIGHTMARE EXPERIENCE

Irún, Sept. 9. One of the insurgents' first actions after the capture of Irún was to exhume the bodies of the murdered hostages, which, after formal identification by relatives, were given a Christian burial.

Other hostages state that executions were announced hourly for many days, during which they lived on tenter-hooks. Two hundred were kept in medieval dungeons, many of the cells measuring only six feet by six feet.—Reuter.

REBEL SUSPECTS

Madrid, Sept. 9. The Popular Tribunal is trying engineer officers accused of rebellion at the Biarritz barracks.

So far, no death sentences have been passed, but Captain Salazar and five others have been sentenced to life imprisonment, and four others to shorter terms.—Reuter.

Royal Couple Broadcast

INTRODUCTION TO ALL HOLLAND

Amsterdam, Sept. 10. The Dutch people "met" the newly-betrothed royal couple, Princess Julian and Prince Bernard zur Lippe, over a radio broadcast last night, in which Queen Wilhelmina introduced them.

Her Majesty said that although Prince Bernard was only 25 he had proved himself already a true man and hard worker.

Princess Julian followed the Queen, saying her fiance intended to devote himself to studying Holland and the Dutch colonies, particularly from an economic viewpoint.

Prince Bernard also spoke, expressing the hope that he and Princess Julian would be able to marry within three months, and pledging himself to do his utmost to be a real help to his future wife.

Reuter Special.

SERIOUS BRITISH LOSSES

CONSTABLES DIE IN PALESTINE

Jerusalem, Sept. 10. Four and possibly five British constables and one British soldier were killed and three British privates wounded in two serious encounters with Arabs in Palestine yesterday afternoon. The fate of the fifth constable, allegedly among the dead, has not been confirmed.

Three constables were killed by a volley fired by a large band of armed Arabs, who attacked a mail van near Rehavia.

The other casualties occurred in a fight between a band of Arabs and troops, assisted by aircraft, near Acre, where ten Arab rioters and three Arab police were wounded.—Reuter.

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Jerusalem, Sept. 10. One of the four British constables wounded at Acre has died.—Reuter.

TWO JAPANESE ARRESTED

PHOTOGRAPHING IN FORBIDDEN ZONE

Davenport (Ia.), Sept. 9. Two Japanese, Nolluzana Tsumura, aged 29, and Miss Toinie Yannari, aged 22, a resident of Platteville, Colorado, have been taken into custody by Federal agents who are investigating the alleged photographing of Rock Island, a Government arsenal.

The couple were detained following a telephone report that the police found them on the Iowa side of the Mississippi River, overlooking the arsenal, the photographing of which is prohibited by Federal statute.

The seized camera has been delivered to the arsenal authorities. Tsumura states that he was merely photographing a river-boat. The film will be developed, and if the arsenal is not shown it will be re-lensed.—United Press.

KEEPING JOBLESS FIT

London, Sept. 9. The Ministry of Labour is taking steps to secure the provision of adequate medical services at centres of instruction for unemployed juveniles, since health is an important factor in getting and keeping the employment for which they are being trained. The services will include the supply of milk for boys and girls who show symptoms of subnormal nutrition.—British Wireless.

YANKEES CAPTURE PENNANT

NATIONAL LEAGUE RACE TIGHTENS

CARDINALS GAINING

New York, Sept. 9. The New York Yankees won a double-header from Cleveland to-day and thereby clinched the American League pennant, even should they lose the rest of the scheduled matches of the season.

In the National League the race continues swift, the St. Louis Cardinals pressing close on the New York Giants' heels, having won to-day while the Giants were splitting a double-header with Cincinnati. Giants took the opener four to two

NAVY RIVALRY FORESEEN



Mr. Claude A. Swanson, U.S. Secretary of Navy, who has indicated that naval rivalry may lead to a building race between Britain, the United States and Japan.

though Kampouris homered for the Reds, and dropped the nightcap, two to three when Walter cracked a circuit blow.

Cardinals were hard-pushed to beat Boston in fifteen innings, finally coming out with a three to one victory.

Chicago did not improve its position, splitting the issue with Philadelphia by winning the opener to three, with seventeen hits, and dropping the evening game four to five, when Moore hit two homers for the Phils and won the game in the twelfth inning.

Pittsburgh fell before Brooklyn's belated rally, seven to eight.

The Yankees having won without undue effort another League pennant, it remained for fans to find what thrill they could in see-saw games in other places.

Chicago beat Boston three to two with eleven hits to ten, and Washington went wild against Detroit, scoring eleven on thirteen hits, Chapman and Sington hitting over the fence and Kress poling out into the bleachers for two more circuits. Gehring hit a home run for Detroit.

The Philadelphia-St. Louis game was postponed on account of rain.—Reuter.

VIENNA BOMBERS ACTIVE

DURING VISIT OF KING EDWARD COMMUNISTS BLAMED

Vienna, Sept. 10. Two bomb outrages have occurred on Austrian railways during the visit of King Edward in this capital.

One blast wrecked a guard's van on the Vienna-Rome Express and another, hidden in a commercial traveller's bag, wrecked a coalroom in the Vienna station.

Police allege that an illegal Australian Communist party is responsible. Rumours that the outrages might be connected with the visit of the British ruler are officially described as baseless.

King Edward, meanwhile, spent another 70 minutes to-night with the famous specialist Dr. Neumann. It is understood that His Majesty has had photographed by x-ray the car which has been troublesome in the past and that a light treatment is advocated.—Reuter.

CHESTERTON LEAVES BIG FORTUNE

London, Sept. 9. The estate of the novelist, Mr. G. K. Chesterton, has been proved at £20,300.—British Wireless.

A Reuter special message says Mr. Chesterton left the bulk of his estate to his wife, but bequeathed £2,000 to his secretary, Miss Dorothy Collins.—British Wireless.

No "Front" Government In Belgium

PRIME MINISTER CONFIDENT WARNING TO EXTREMISTS

Brussels, Sept. 9. M. Paul van Zeeland, Prime Minister of Belgium, speaking in the name of the Government, rejected any suggestion for a Popular Front or any other "front" Government for the nation.

The present system, he said, helps the confidence of the nation and the Government would take full legal measures against those wishing to obstruct it in its work of rehabilitation.

The Prime Minister was addressing deputies of the Chamber and the Senate, and his declaration was intended to allay rumours regarding the intentions of certain extremist elements in Belgium.—Reuter.

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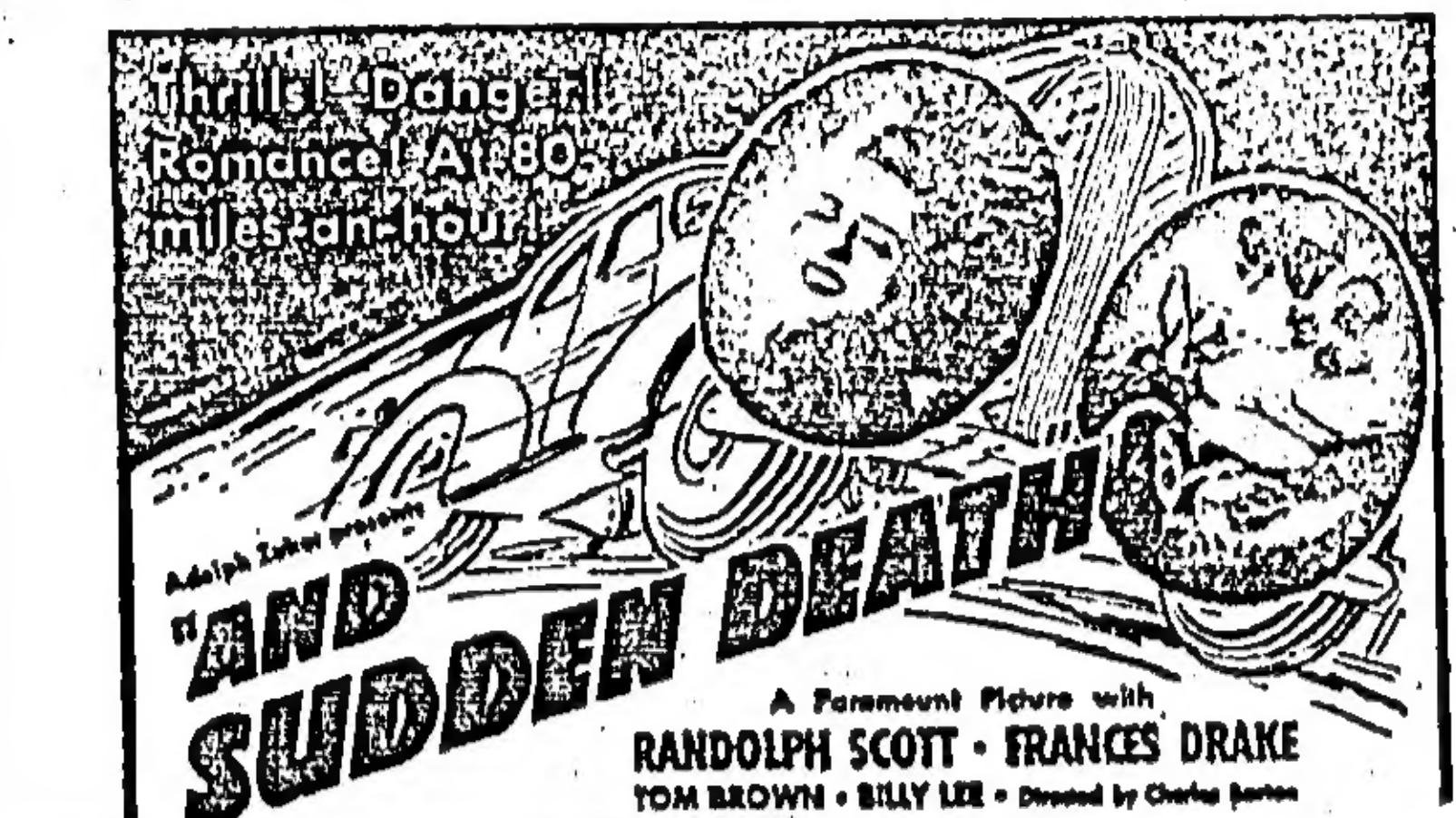
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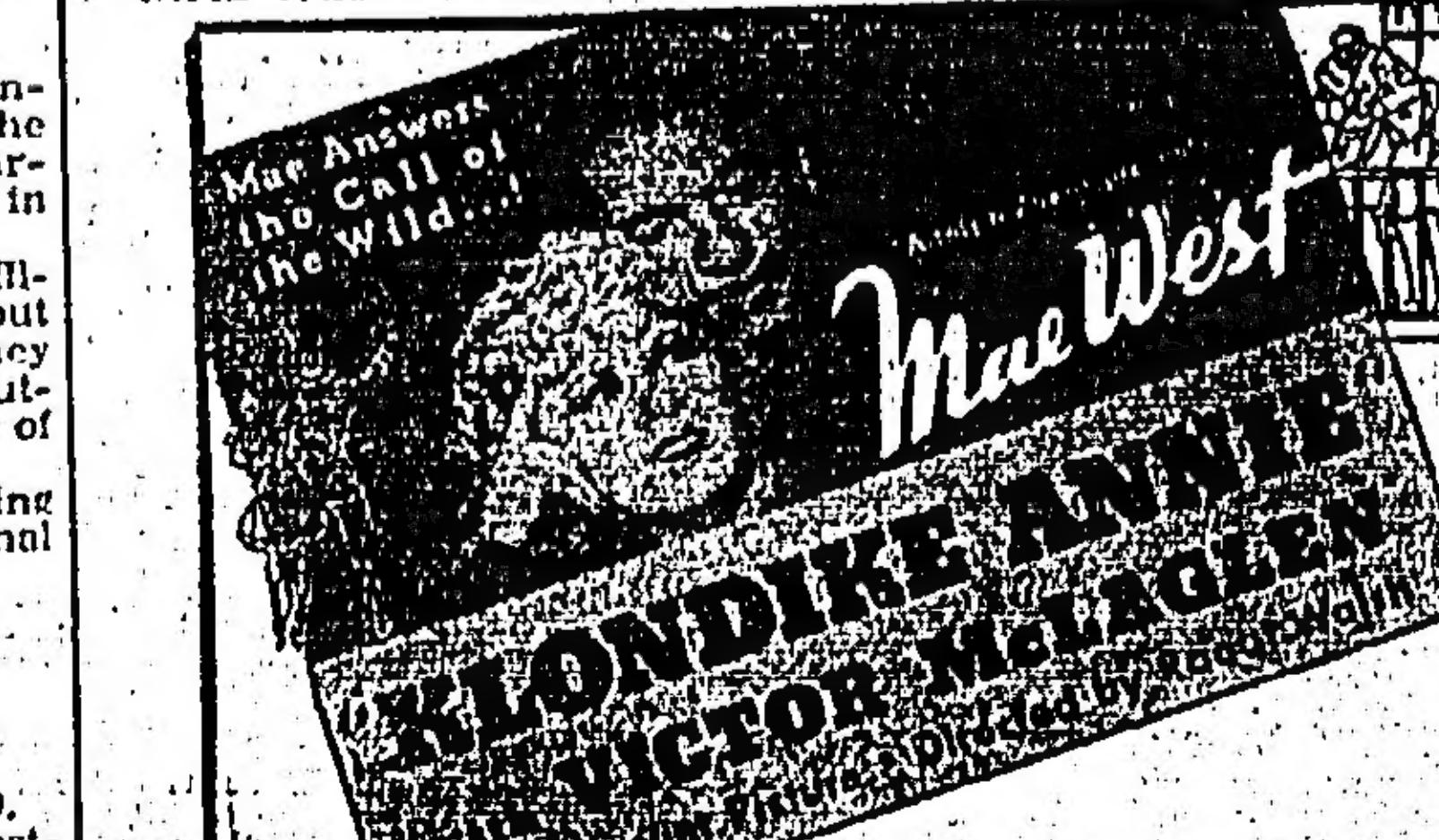
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